

Name S. Smith New President Of Lions Club

Stan Smith was nominated president of the Newmarket Lions club for the 1952-53 year at the regular meeting of the club on Monday night in St. Paul's parish hall. Other nominations were: past pres., J. B. Walker; first vice pres., George Byers; second vice pres., Seneca Cook and Jack Luesby; third vice pres., Roy Lockhart, Gene McCaffrey, Seneca Cook, Jack Luesby; sec'y, Tom Doyle; treas., Frank Courtney.

Tail twisters, Paul Tobey, Wes Tobey; lion tamer, Geo. McCullough; directors (2 years), Ang West, Dick Hilliard, Bill Dyer, Bob Yates, Seneca Cook, Gene McCaffrey; directors (1 year), Leo Cull, Chas. Boyd, Denny Bosworth, Les Barber.

Bulletin editors, John Hines, Jack Luesby; auditors, Alex McKay, Murray Roberts; pianist, Ken Ponting.

Other nominations can be made from the floor on election night. Plans are being made for the annual carnival to be held this year on July 23. There will be a draw on a new car, and a bingo in the Newmarket arena on September 26.

MUNICIPALITIES APPROVING SHARE IN HOSP. DEFICIT

One township has passed a resolution to pay its share of York County hospital's \$11,000 deficit in 1951 and at least two others are expected to do the same at their next council meetings.

Whitchurch township council passed a resolution at a meeting last Saturday to approve payment of its share. East Gwillimbury council had a busy agenda at its last regular meeting and did not have time to discuss the proposal but it is believed that council favors a grant to the hospital.

North Gwillimbury councillors are also said to be in favor of paying the township share. Municipalities in North York were asked by the hospital board to share in the reduction of the deficit at a meeting of representatives at Sharon several weeks ago. The hospital's actual deficit is around \$60,000 but municipalities were asked to pay off \$11,000, each municipality's share being in proportion to the number of patients it sent to the hospital in 1951.

Newmarket approved of paying its share of over \$2000.

EXCEED OBJECTIVE

Final figures on the recent Red Cross campaign show that Newmarket and district, with an objective of \$4,500, exceeded its goal by \$328. Total contribution from this area was \$4,828.

Newmarket Art Club Members Show Work At Spring Show

The Newmarket Art Club is presenting its Spring Show at the Newmarket town hall Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Mayor Joseph Vale will open the show with the club's president, W. J. Hopkinson. The show will consist solely of the work of the members of the club who will be present during the show to discuss their work with the visitors.

The local club boasts many active painters in its membership. The president of the club, Mr. Hopkinson, has been painting for close to 50 years. He started as a lad in England where he painted under Walter White, R.A., and has been associated with such artists as Max Andrews, J. W. Beatty, Len Brooks and Don Fraser. He has had pictures hung at the R.C.A., O.S.A. and C.N.E. shows. He works in oils, water colors and with line drawings.

Balfie Bradley, vice-president, is a comparative newcomer to the club. He has been painting for the last 15 years with the exception of seven years during the war. His work is in contrast with that of other members of the club as far as technique is concerned. He was helped and instructed by the Peterboro artist, K. J. Dincson.

Ruby Haskett, secretary of the club, is a beginner who under the tutelage of Bob Chadwick, a showing considerable promise. Chadwick himself has been

NEWMARKET HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS CHOOSE A QUEEN FOR THEIR SPRING PROM



NORA MORLEY

SHIRLEY MILLS, QUEEN

PAULINE BOVAIR

Ah, Spring! With Spring comes the Spring Prom and with the Spring Prom comes the Queen and her attendants. Last Friday night Shirley Mills was crowned Queen of the Spring Prom at Newmarket high school by Principal J. W. Lockhart. The Queen

sat upon a special throne and was presented with flowers and speeches as her attendants, Pauline Bovair and Nora Morley stood by her side. High school students voted for their Queen earlier. Shirley led the polls and Pauline and Nora were close runners-up. Photos by Era and Express

St. Faith's Lodge Buys Aubrey Davis Home

The home of the late Aubrey Davis on Millard Ave., Newmarket, was purchased today by the board of St. Faith's Lodge, Toronto, it was announced by Mrs. H. Arnold Ward, president. The final arrangements were completed this morning after negotiations over the past two months or so.

The home will be known as Warrendale in memory of the late Mrs. H. D. Warren who was former president of the board. St. Faith's Lodge is a member of the Community Chest of Greater Toronto.

Mrs. Ward said the purpose of Warrendale was to provide a specialized residential center for 15 adolescent girls who have no satisfactory home of their own. These are girls with normal personalities who can benefit from group living.

Warrendale will begin operations later on this summer after a few alterations to comply with

government fire regulations have been completed.

Groups in Newmarket wishing to use the grounds in June for garden parties should get in touch with the director, John N. Haddad, at 100 Adelaide St. west, room 910, Toronto.

G.G. TO INSPECT ST. ANDREW'S CADETS

The Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, Canada's first Canadian governor-general, will inspect the St. Andrew's College Cadet Corps on Friday. He will also present the Ellsworth Trophy to the best platoon, a cup to the best cadet private and a cup to the best gymnast.

The governor-general will make the visit during his current tour of Toronto, Hamilton and Montreal.

B. AND P. CLUB TO INSTALL OFFICERS

The Newmarket Business and Professional Women's club will hold their last dinner meeting of the season at the King George hotel on Monday, May 19, 6.45 p.m. It will be a social evening with cards being played.

The installation of officers for the Newmarket B. and P. club will be conducted by Mrs. Chas. Boyd. All members are reminded to bring current issues of popular magazines for the Hospital library to this meeting.

DONORS' CARDS AVAILABLE AT CLINIC OFFICES

The Newmarket Blood Bank for York County hospital has registered a number of people who are willing to donate blood for the hospital's use. Registration cards with blood type marked have been made up for each donor and they may be picked up at the switchboard in the Newmarket Clinic offices, 150 Main St.

In Newmarket, a number of persons, exceeding 30, have been typed and registered and since there were no more volunteers, the registration and typing on regular nights was given up.

A large group from the Bradford Lions club is coming to Newmarket next Monday night to be registered and typed. Dr. John Dales, a member of the blood bank committee, said that a group of 30 members of the Aurora Junior Chamber of Commerce was enlisted in 15 minutes for mass registration next Thursday night. They will be registered in Aurora. It took two weeks to get 30 in Newmarket, Dr. Dales pointed out.

OPTIMISTS BRING DON MESSER ORCH. TO ARENA JUNE 14

The Optimist Club of Newmarket is sponsoring another dance in the Newmarket arena this year on Saturday night June 14, with Don Messer and His Islanders, popular radio entertainers and recording artists who are known across Canada for their "old time" dance music.

Last year the Islanders drew a large crowd of fans from this district and as far away as Lindsay and Peterborough. Money raised by the dance went a long way to support the Optimists' work during the year. The funds assisted the boys' work activities including league baseball and hockey programs.

YORK HOSPITAL TO 'OPEN HOUSE'

For the third successive year, Open House will be held at York County Hospital. The date set for this public inspection of the hospital is Thursday, May 22, from 3 to 5 p.m.

A tour of the premises will be conducted with the general pieces of equipment, purchased through the Hospital Auxiliary, on exhibit. This is an excellent opportunity of visiting the local hospital to see how the donations from the many organizations in town is spent.

Tea will be served by the auxiliary in the Nurses' residence. On view for this occasion will be the nurses' sitting room which has been redecorated and furnished by the auxiliary.

E. J. GALBRAITH NAMED TO BOARD

At a meeting of the Newmarket public school board on Tuesday night, the board voted to appoint E. J. Galbraith to replace Herbert Atkins who resigned because he was moving out of town. At the previous meeting, there was a tie vote with Mrs. Mina Best and Mrs. Stella Curtis favoring the appointment of Mr. Galbraith and Larry Bell and George Phimister the appointment of Mrs. Caroline Ion, unsuccessful candidate in the most recent election.

Allan Perks who was absent from the board because of illness at the previous meeting, cast his vote in favor of Mr. Galbraith on Tuesday. The press was not present at this meeting which had been announced at the previous meeting as a tour of the schools. The editorial on page 4, urging the board to appoint Mrs. Ion, was written and printed before the meeting.

COMING EVENT

SUNDAY, MAY 18 — Annual tulip-time visit to gardens, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kidd (entrance on Gorham St.) sponsored by Newmarket Horticultural society. Public welcome. c2w10

TO COLLECT HANGERS

The first Newmarket Cub Pack "A" will collect coat hangers in a door to door canvass in the near future. Householders are asked to save these hangers. The Cubs will sell the hangers to raise funds for their activities.

COMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, MAY 16 — Toronto Milk Producers' Association, District 7, will meet in Cooks' town Town hall, at 8.30 p.m. D.S.T. Mr. Fenton MacIntyre, Brantford Milk Marketing agency, special speaker. c2w19

FRIDAY-SUNDAY, MAY 16-18 — Guides, Brownies serve light refreshments, Newmarket Art club's exhibition, Town Hall. Proceeds for camping. Tea, cookies—25 cents. c1w20

FRI., SAT. and SUN., MAY 16, 17, 18 — The Newmarket Art Club invite you to attend the spring exhibition of paintings in the Newmarket Town Hall. On Friday, 7 to 10.30 p.m. Saturday, 2 to 10.30 p.m. Sunday, 2 to 5 p.m. c1w20

FRIDAY, MAY 16 — Public meeting to be held in the North Gwillimbury Memorial Centre, Keswick, to arrange for a Community Field Day. All township organizations and residents are requested to attend. Sponsored by the Memorial Centre Board. M. R. Connell, sec.-treas. c1w20

SATURDAY, MAY 17 — See the Blue Blood of Dogdom at the 2nd International Dog Show at the Aurora Armouries. Open 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Admission 35c. c2w19

SATURDAY, MAY 17 — Rummage sale of new and good used clothing, at the Mercer cottage, at Melvor's corner, North Lake Wilcox, road from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., conducted by Mrs. Alice Ashby, under the auspices of Oak Ridge and Lake Wilcox Ratepayers' Association. c1w20

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21 — Newmarket Veterans' bingo, in the Town Hall, at 8 p.m. Share-the-wealth. Jackpot \$65. Attendance prize \$5. Door prize \$5. Admission 35c, 2 cards. c1w20

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21 — Piano recital by the pupils of Mae Patterson, A.T.C.M., in the Newmarket High School auditorium. c2w19

THURSDAY, MAY 22 — Bingo under the auspices of the Aurora Canadian Legion Ladies Auxiliary, in the Legion Hall, at 8 p.m. 15 games 35c, 2 specials. Share-the-wealth. c1w20

THURSDAY, MAY 22 — Play, "An Old Fashioned Mother," presented by the Cookstown church hall, at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the W.A. Admission adults 50c, children 25c. c2w19

THURSDAY, MAY 22 — Third annual Open House, York County hospital. Conducted tours, 3 to 5 p.m. Tea, Nurses' residence, by Hospital auxiliary. Public cordially invited to attend. No charge. c1w20

FRIDAY, MAY 23 — Annual sale of flower and vegetable plants, also home baking sale, at 7 p.m., in the basement of All Saint's Anglican Church, King City, under the auspices of the W.A. c1w20

College Grads' Anniversary This Weekend

The 25th anniversary of the opening of Pickering College in 1927 by Joseph McCulley, then headmaster, and the 110th anniversary of the founding of the school will be marked by an "old boys" anniversary celebration this weekend.

Nearly 150 grads and their wives are expected to be at the school over the weekend. A banquet is being held on Saturday night and there will be a golf tournament, softball game and other sports activities and entertainment.

Chairman of the banquet Saturday night will be Harry Peace, president of the old boys' association. Present headmaster, R. E. K. Rourke, and former headmaster, Joseph McCulley, now deputy-commissioner of Canadian penitentiaries, will be on hand.

Pickering was founded 110 years ago by the Society of Friends at West Lake, Prince Edward County. Later the school was moved to Pickering, Ont. The present building was erected in Newmarket in 1908 after a fire at Pickering, Ont., and it operated as a Quaker co-educational school until the first world war.

Joseph McCulley re-opened Pickering College in 1927 and he was headmaster for 20 years. Although the present school is non-denominational, it has retained a Quaker philosophy.

"Quakerism is the vital source of the philosophy of life and education at Pickering; tolerance and respect for each human being as an individual are prominent among the ideals of the college. Pickering excludes no one because of his race or creed."

This was a quotation from a commentary on the school's chapel services.

Students from nearly every country in the western hemisphere and from other parts of the world have attended the school in the past 25 years.

Council Considers New Govt. Scheme For Housing Here

"Members of town council have agreed to look into a new federal-provincial government subsidized housing scheme where rents would be determined by tenants' incomes. Each tenant in such a subdivision which has been offered to Newmarket, would be permitted to pay no more or less than one fifth of the family income in rent."

"This is the best housing scheme I have seen brought out yet," declared Mayor Joseph Vale at a special council meeting last Friday afternoon. A representative from the Department of Planning and Development, Wilfred Scott, said that the scheme had just been approved and that so far, it has been offered only to two municipalities, Dunnville and Newmarket.

Newmarket has municipally-owned land available at present for a 45-house subdivision. The land, south of Eagle St. on the western limits of town, has already been surveyed and lots have been staked out.

Renting of the houses would be managed by a local Housing Authority of citizens appointed by the province with the guidance of council. No elected person could be a member of the authority.

The Housing Authority would decide what families could rent the houses. The town would have to make a policy to stipulate whether non-residents could rent the houses or not. The province stipulates that the houses be rented only to families with children.

Deputy-revee J. L. Spillette warned that the town would run into another school problem with more families moving into town if the policy permitted outside families to rent. Town Clerk Wesley Brooks said that he had records of more than 60 persons in Newmarket who have been seeking housing.

Councillor Charles Boyd pointed out that there would be no school problem if the houses were reserved for Newmarket families. An average rent necessary to finance the entire subdivision would be settled by the government's agency, Mr. Scott said. Then a subsidy of possibly from 10 percent to 17 percent would be paid by the government to decrease the rent for tenants.

The mayor said that the council's motion for further investigation into the scheme would at least "get the ball rolling". A signing of an agreement to start a subdivision would come later.

If the average rent figure is set at \$50 a month, the average family would have a \$250 a month income but it was stated that the government would put on a restriction so that no family with an income of more than \$300 a month could rent. Some families could pay as low as \$30 a month.

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Mayor Says Should Make More Money On Town Hall; Opposed

There were different opinions about being charitable towards community dancing, drama, art shows, bingos and other town activities in council meeting last Monday night. When it came down to paying off the high insurance premiums on the town hall, Mayor Vale was in favor of not being so charitable.

"We pay a premium every year of \$583 for insurance on the town hall and according to the records, we took in no more than \$275 in rental fees from organizations which used the auditorium," said the mayor. "I am in favor of putting a higher rental charge so that the auditorium at least pays what it is costing us."

Councillor Boyd said that "a lot of people would complain about a higher charge." The mayor pointed out that lectures and meetings would not create high insurance rates but dancing, concerts and bingos "produce a terrific insurance rate". He said that there should be a charge of at least \$25 a night.

Reeve Arthur D. Evans said "There are other things in the town hall: the magistrate's court offices, the police and the town clerk's office and revenues are received from them in addition to community organizations."

Councillor Dales took up the cause for the town organizations. "A lot of organizations couldn't continue to put on activities if the rent were increased," he said. "You might impose higher charges on some organization putting on a dance but as for the dramatic club, dancing classes, art club, they depend on the auditorium to put on their work. They should be encouraged. After all, it is still a community not entirely a business which this council is running."

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Four Concerts Next Season, Membership Drive June 7 to 15

The Canadian Concert Association of Newmarket has set the second week in June for its membership campaign for the 1952-53 season.

After a successful season of three concerts during the 1951-52 season, the association plans four concerts for the coming season, in October, November, January and February.

There is a large list of Canadian feature artists from which the association will choose its concert artists. Among those suggested at a meeting of the executive and directors last night were Bernard Johnson, baritone, and John Vickers, tenor, Glen Gould, pianist, the Harvey Perrin Choir

RAVENSHOE

The W. A. supper will be served on Wednesday, May 21. Hostesses are Mrs. E. Breen, Mrs. W. Cryderman, Mrs. A. Sedore, Mrs. C. Hodgson, Mrs. F. Perry and Mrs. I. Rose. Everybody welcome.

Sincere sympathy goes out to the family and relatives of Mrs. W. Hamilton who passed away a week ago after a lengthy illness.

It was nice to see so many out to church on Sunday, it being Mother's Day. Everybody enjoyed the children's choir. At the christening service there were three babies christened. They were Grace Elizabeth Wellman, Stanley Lea Pollock and James Arthur Martin.

A speedy recovery is extended to all the sick.

BELHAVEN

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman King were Mr. and Mrs. E. Pilkie and family of Balsam and Mr. and Mrs. A. King, Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Severn, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Selby Fairbairn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Herdman, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Fairbairn and Mr. and Mrs. Lealand Nelson attended the wedding of Reg. Denny in Hamilton on Saturday.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holstock were Mr. Lloyd Holstock and friend of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Holstock, Mount Albert.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. Clyde in his recent bereavement.

Mrs. and Mrs. Jos. Clark, Ravenshoe, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Holborn.

Mr. Robt. Davidson Jr. spent Sunday evening with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Earle Herdman on the birth of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earle Foster, Vaudor.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman King visited Mr. and Mrs. John Morton, Hampton, on Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kay spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Erlyn Kay, Sutton West.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pollard, Keswick, called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pollard on Sunday.

Glad to report that Mr. Lockie is better and wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Grant and family of Toronto spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mann.

The Mother's Day service at Bethel church was well attended on Sunday with the children taking part. One item of special interest was solo by seven-year-old Garfield Cooper, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooper. Part of the service was devoted to the christening of the following babies, Brenda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lealand Nelson; Roger Emmanuel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kydd; and Judith Anne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Johnston.

Following the service, a family re-union, including Mr. and Mrs. Lealand Nelson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chalmers, Mrs. J. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kydd and family and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Banks and Anita, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Smith. One factor of interest is that Brenda was christened in the same dress as her grandmother, Mrs. Smith, which was hand-made by Mrs. Smith's grandmother.

Bethel church service will be held in the evening next Sunday. Sunday school, 7 o'clock; church, 7.30. (Note change of hour.)

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Willoughby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Skinner, Virginia.

HOLLAND LANDING

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Gordon, Holland Landing, received a pleasant surprise on Friday when their son, A.C.I. Robert G. Gordon of the R.C.A.F. at Gimli, Man., arrived home on a 30-day leave. Also visiting at the Gordon home for a few days is Mrs. Gordon's mother, Mrs. G. Miller, Toronto.

Mount Albert News

Word was received last week of the serious illness of Mrs. Jas. Arnold who has been at the home of her daughter in Montreal.

Mr. A. Worville has moved into Mr. W. Thompson's house, Centre St., on the hill.

Mrs. J. Oliver Sr. has spent the week in Toronto at the home of her daughter, Mrs. V. Armstrong.

Misses Effie and Muriel Ross of Toronto were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rennie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Duncan, Jackie, Elizabeth and Cathie of Thornhill were visitors on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mainprize.

Next Sunday will be rather a memorable occasion in Mount Albert when the Don Valley Conservation Association will come by train and people are invited to the C.N.R. station where there will be an official welcome and a tree planted by Chief Big White Owl. Two bands will accompany the party and they plan a concert in the park. This will be around 3 p.m. and all are welcome to attend.

Misses Joan Mainprize and Ann Carruthers of Toronto were at their homes over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Harmon of Parry Sound spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Theaker.

Mrs. H. Ross, who has been in Toronto for some time, is back with her daughter, Mrs. J. Rennie.

Mr. Carl Lambie has moved into Mr. Stewart Thompson's house on Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Graham, Mr. and Mrs. H. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. J. Booth of Newmarket attended the funeral last week at Warsaw of Mrs. Geo. Weller.

Next Sunday evening there will be a Masonic church service at the United church when all the lodges of the district will attend. Rev. C. P. Shapter will be the minister. The time is 7.30 p.m., D.S.T.

The Women's Institute sponsored a tag day for the blind on Saturday, May 3, and the total

receipts were \$88.17. They are very grateful to all those who assisted in making it such a success.

The W.M.S. of the United Church met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss J. Oldham on Wednesday afternoon when 19 ladies were present.

The ladies plan to send their annual bazaar early in June and will hold a quilting at the church on Tuesday, May 20.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Carruthers left on Wednesday of this week for a two weeks holiday in Vancouver. They travelled by plane from Malton airport.

Sunday was Mother's Day at the United church and on Sunday, June 1, there will be a children's service. Those desiring to have their children baptized may do so and parents will come with their families.

June 7 will be the 28th annual Sports Day in Mount Albert park. We have never had a failure although a few times the day has had to be postponed because of rain but it was still a success. This year will be no exception as a very full program of sports and entertainment is being prepared and the committees in charge are sparing nothing to make it bigger and better than ever.

There will be ball games, horse shoe pitching, special school events, tractor rodeo and many will be glad to know Vince Mountford and his new sparkling stage show will be one of the many forms of entertainment.

The rain in this community was surely a blessing as it was needed badly. Crops and gardens have put on a much better look in a short time. Prospects look good.

The officers and teachers of the United church Sunday school met on Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Theodora Harrison when they discussed ways of making the school more interesting and having all classes taking part in the worship service. The social part was much enjoyed and we hope this will lead to many more such nice get-togethers for teachers.

Queensville News

Congratulations to Miss Jane Roberts who won third prize in her solo class at York Music Festival at Woodbridge.

Also congratulations to Hillside school, S. S. No. 2, East Gwillimbury, who won second prize in the rural school chorus for schools with an enrolment under 25.

Master Doug. Zufelt entertained 14 friends at his birthday party on Saturday.

Friends in this area will regret to learn of the illness of a former resident, Mrs. Robt. Putnam, who is ill in Bethel Nursing Home, Brantford.

We welcome to our community Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Boyd and Mrs. Geo. McKeown who recently moved into the Porter house in the village.

Mr. Marritt McKelvey was taken to the General Hospital, Toronto, on Saturday for treatment. We understand Mr. McKelvey is in serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Prior and family spent Sunday with relatives in Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Christilaw and Heather of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. Milsted.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huff and families, all of Toronto, spent Mother's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roberts, and their sister, Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Church and family of Vineland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. F. Winger.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Tom Besant home after spending five months in Europe.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Fred Simpson in the death of her husband on Monday in York County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Huntley and family spent Sunday in the Owen Sound district.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Alexander attended the Garage Operators' meeting in Niagara Falls this week.

Normal School students are again spending this week in rural school practice teaching. Miss Hancock of Port William and Miss Elphick of Walkerton are in the Sr. room at Queensville school. Mr. Mason of Cooksville and Mr. Mitchell of Toronto are at Union St. school. Miss Kulow of Collingwood and Miss Laciak of Toronto are at Hillside school.

We are pleased to report Mrs. Archie Smith is home from York County Hospital, following her recent operation.

A number of ladies attended the District Annual of the Women's Institute at Mount Albert on Wednesday. Our local Institute entered a very lovely quilt in the quilt competition.

The Evening Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday evening, May 20, at the home of Mrs. John Morrill. The study book will be in charge of Mrs. Fred Dew. Mrs. H. Toombs will conduct the devotional service. The hostesses are Mrs. W. Musselwhite, Mrs. J. Kavanagh and Mrs. E. Denham. The clothing for the bazaar is to be handed in at this meeting and will be on display.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Eric Denham and family to our community. They moved this week to the Cranley farm, just west of the village.

ZEPHYR

The funeral of Mrs. Frank Raham was held at the Zephyr cemetery on Thursday. The late Mrs. Raham was Miss Forsythe of Uxbridge. She resided in Toronto for the last few years. She leaves to mourn her loss Mrs. Jas. Marshall (Marjorie), Toronto, Miss Florence of Toronto, and Frank of Toronto, and Garet of Windsor. The community extend their sympathy to the family in their hour of bereavement.

Several from this community attended the funeral of Mrs. George Weller at Warsaw on Friday. Mrs. Weller lived in this community before going to Warsaw some years ago. She was an ardent supporter of the Women's Institute and highly respected in this neighborhood.

The United Church Sunday school will be held at 11 a.m. next Sunday.

We are glad to report that Mr. Wm. Bibby has returned home after undergoing an operation in the Toronto General hospital and hope he may soon be restored to his usual good health.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cain and family have moved to the 4th concession of Scott to live with the former's father, Mr. Thos. Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. Wideman have moved into the residence formerly occupied by Mr. Austin Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gould and family of Hamilton visited the former's mother, Mrs. N. Longhurst, on Sunday.

Mrs. E. Profit has gone to Toronto to visit some friends there.

Rev. Thornloe preached a very timely sermon last Sunday. His subject was the dedication by Hannah of her son Samuel. The choir sang a splendid anthem suitable for Mother's Day.

We are sorry to report that the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morison is still in the Sick Children's hospital and is not progressing very rapidly.

MOUNT ZION

Mrs. Walter Carl has undergone an operation in Newmarket hospital. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. John Cooper spent Sunday in Toronto visiting her son, Mr. Jack Cooper and family.

The W.M.S. took their program to the Belhaven Church last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. H. Cole attended the W.M.S. convention held at Owen Sound last week.

Those who know Rev. and Mrs. Harold Hallman will be glad to hear of the birth of their son, James Harold, on April 24 in Nigeria, Africa.

A community shower was held for Mrs. Ruth Horton on Saturday evening at Mr. Ed Fairbairn's home. Everyone wishes her happiness for the future.

Young People's is at Mount Pleasant on Friday evening. Stouffville Young People are in charge of this program.

Rev. Ward Shantz of Emmanuel Bible School will be the Evangelist at a series of meetings commencing May 18 to June 1.

Sunday services are Sunday school at 10 a.m., worship at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

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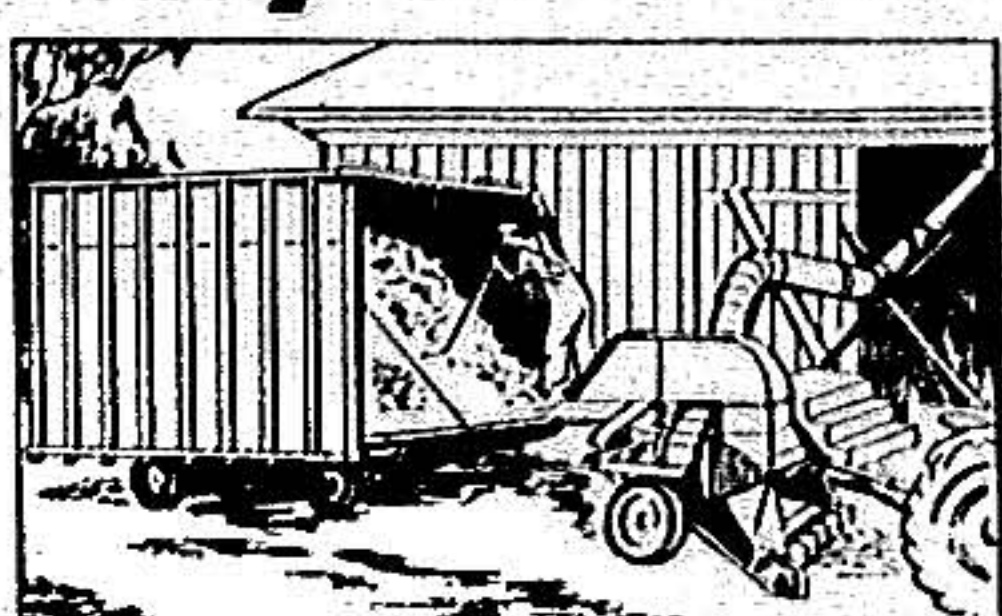
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The winter carnival at the arena was a very glad affair in February of 1926. "Mrs. A. J. Davis had secured the Toronto Skating Club who would give the evening performance of fancy skating free of charge except for their travelling expenses."

In view of this generosity, the ladies of the Aid "decided to serve the visitors their supper in one of the class rooms of Trinity United church which also afforded dressing rooms if they needed to change costumes."

The following menu for the supper was decided upon: roast chicken with dressing, boiled ham, scalloped potatoes, lettuce, celery, salads, pickles, cranberry sauce, jellies, home-made rolls and butter, bread, apple pie and ice cream, cakes, dark and light, and tea.

As if the production of such a meal were not a big enough undertaking, these indefatigable women organized a booth at the arena where they sold coffee, sandwiches and home-made pies—no less than 30 of them. Apparently the services of the Aid to the community were being recognized and encouraged as witness the minutes for February 23, 1926: "That letters of thanks be sent to the Toronto Skating Club for their very fine entertainment; to the management of the arena for the free use of same; to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Davis who secured the Skating Club for the Auxiliary; to the Newmarket Band who gave their services free and to the Board of Trinity United church for use of one of the school rooms to serve the supper."

It would seem that various individuals and societies had approached the Aid for sewing projects because when Mrs. Howard Cane suggested "that the Auxiliary have cards made with the standard sizes of the different articles of linen printed on them, these cards to be given to the different societies or persons interested in helping the hospital," a motion to this effect was made and carried.

In Mr. Walter Eves' article, "The History of York County Hospital," he notes that the year 1926 was a very trying one in the history of the institution. Because of the impossibility of extending the hospital, situated as it was in Dr. Dales' home on Main Street, the Hospital Board had appointed a committee the previous year to see if a more suitable property could be found. The beautifully situated E. S. Cane property with its large grounds had finally been selected and by spring of 1926 it had been decided to issue bonds to promote the purchase of this property.

Unfortunately, difficulty was encountered in finding subscribers and on June 10, 1926, we note that "the President, Mrs. McLennan, called a meeting of the executive of the Women's Auxiliary at her home at 8 p.m. Mr. J. F. Harvey, president of the Hospital Board, addressed the executive in regard to the hospital bonds, which are on the market, soliciting the help of the Auxiliary in suggesting likely purchasers to members of the Board."

Even with the ladies helping, the prospects of financing the project were so poor that according to Mr. Eves' account, the Board voted to close the hospital on August 14 and store the equipment. This action, apparently, was what was needed to spur the community to greater efforts and we find that by the end of July "it was reported that new efforts on behalf of the sale of bonds and subscriptions were proving effective and that it is believed the money required would be raised."

It would appear, however, that the ladies of the Aid were never really in doubt about the outcome because at a meeting held at the end of June it was moved that "a hammock be purchased for the use of the nurses," and the purchasing committee made arrangements to go to Sharon for the purpose of buying a quantity of goose feathers for pillows. Mention is also made here, for the first time, taken from the "Mite Box" which had been installed at the door of the local theatre.

No meetings were held in July or August—a decision which set a precedent for the following years—but at their first Autumn

meeting the ladies took stock of themselves. They were now a going concern, having raised the money for and distributed throughout the hospital much-needed equipment of all types to the value of many hundreds of dollars, so that "the need of a constitution and by-laws for the Auxiliary were discussed, and it was moved that Mrs. Norma McLennan, Mrs. Jessie Hewson and Miss Olive Niles act as a committee to draw up by-laws and present same at the next meeting."

The meeting day was also changed to the first Tuesday of each month. The constitution was adopted, and a very adequate one it was, and the ladies were legally in business. It is interesting to note with regard to this year's (1926) house to house canvass "the canvassers all spoke of the kindly manner in which they were received."

At this same meeting it was moved "that this Aid join the Ontario United Hospital Aids Association—the fee is only \$1.00 per year." Mrs. McLennan, the president, in presenting her annual report in November, "spoke of the trying conditions under which the Women's Auxiliary carried on (through the past year) owing to the uncertainty as to whether the hospital work was to be continued in Newmarket or not."

"However, a brighter day is dawning. The Hospital Board has purchased a beautiful property, now undergoing alterations and re-building, will make, when completed, a hospital for which we will be proud to work, and for which our untiring efforts will be required. A greater number of patients can be accommodated, more nurses will be required and a much greater quantity of supplies, for which we hold ourselves accountable, will be needed. To be able to meet these demands we must increase our working force. . . we must endeavor to co-operate with the Hospital Board and bend our effort to work in harmony for the support of our hospital in its work of relieving suffering and distress"—surely a proper creed for a most worthy organization!

With the rising walls of the new hospital and its multitudinous needs ever before them, the Aid opened the new year in a great flurry of social activities—teas, showers, (anything from blankets to face cloths was acceptable), chain bridges, dramatic presentations two theatre nights, concerts, Violet Day—then on the evening of February 14, came the devastating fire which destroyed the central portion of the nearly completed building.

When they might have been expected to express discouragement, this loss by fire seemed really to bring home to the members of the Aid the great necessity for still further efforts and there was no diminishing of activity. They cheerfully accepted their self-imposed duty of supplying the old hospital with its complete supply of linens, blankets, china, cutlery and emergency equipment, while laying aside money and supplies for the new building. The entire proceeds of this year's garden party—always the biggest money-making project in the overall program—were to be handed over to the Hospital Board and earmarked for equipment and furnishings for the new hospital.

"The Board has asked if the ladies would furnish the nurses' reception room, also purchase a hot-water sterilizer with a still for the operating room," this last item at a cost of \$520.12. Then at last, the minutes of the meeting of October 4, 1927, note that "the secretary was requested to send the following names to the Hospital Board, to be sent invitations to the opening of the new hospital on October 11: the teachers and pupils of Amsterdam School, North York; Aurora, Mount Albert, Sharon and Newmarket Women's Institutes; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Sheppard."

The moving into new and adequate quarters must have marked the coming-of-age of this determined group of ladies. It speaks well for them that instead of resting on their hard-earned laurels they seemed to take a new lease on life which inspired them to still greater efforts, and from a reading of the minutes of this Aid, it would seem that the ladies reached the peak of their effort and enterprise during this season of 1927-28.

They had 105 paid-up members, a most able executive, and through the contacts and good public relationship they had built up, the interest and help of practically all the Institutes and organizations in the district. In this respect "Mrs. Howard Cane spoke on behalf of the Women's Institute, who are carrying a double burden in connection with the hospital, having their own ward to furnish and helping with the county as well" and "many appreciative references were made to the generous help given the hospital by the

Ottawa Letter

BY... J. E. SMITH
M. R. NORTH YORK

Canada's legislation and general provision for ex-service men is second to none in the world. Last fall there was an increase in pensions and this week legislation was introduced to increase veterans' allowance.

The veterans' allowance is paid to needy veterans 60 and over, and is also paid to widows and dependents of veterans. A total of 40,000 Canadians receive them.

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Credit Restrictions

The house and country welcome this week the announcement by the minister of finance of the removal of all consumer credit restrictions. The announcement coincided with the release of the report showing a further decline in the cost-of-living index.

The act regulating credit was passed in September, 1950, and the first regulations came into force in November of that year. The regulations were considerably stiffened in March, 1951, and in January this year somewhat relaxed.

It is encouraging that the situation with respect to consumer credit is now such that the government thinks it is safe to suspend all regulations. However, the Act will remain in force and any time conditions warrant the government has

Institute." In November of 1927, in recognition of invaluable services rendered "a letter was read from the secretary-treasurer of the Men's Board of the hospital, inviting the Aid to appoint a representative to act on the board. It was decided that our president, Mrs. McLennan, should be the representative."

My mail in recent weeks has included many letters from all parts of North York on a wide variety of subjects. Many are concerned with the outbreak of foot and mouth disease in Western Canada and I hope to deal at length with this subject in a future letter. In the meantime, let me assure you that all resources of the federal and provincial governments are united to fight this dread disease.

The co-operation of the best experts in the world has been enlisted and no effort is being spared to end quickly and effectively this outbreak which is so serious to the whole livestock industry and economy of Canada.

In the meantime, thanks for your letters, and we repeat, don't hesitate to write or ask my assistance on any matters pertaining to federal administration. The address is: J. E. Smith, M.P., Parliament Buildings, Ottawa, and no stamp is required.

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The senate was discussing a bill to observe Victoria Day on the first Monday prior to May 25 from 1893 on.

Hon. Mr. Haig: To most of us in this chamber Victoria Day means something. To my children and my grandchildren it has no meaning at all. To them it is just a holiday. I can quite understand that. Elizabeth II is going to celebrate her birthday in June, the month in which the late King George VI celebrated his, and we have become accustomed to that procedure. I think the majority of Canadians would enjoy a holiday on a Monday rather than on a Wednesday or Thursday. I can understand that too. In these days of rapid transportation people can easily travel 80 or a 100 miles to their summer homes to enjoy a good weekend, especially when it is a long one. But the nation has always celebrated the Queen's birthday on the 24th of May. Suppose the bill is passed and we celebrate, say, the 19th of May we might have difficulty in explaining to our grandchildren and some of us have grandchildren—why we are celebrating that day.

Hon. Mr. King: As Victoria's birthday.

Hon. Mr. Haig: But that was not her birthday. They know it was on the 24th of May, and they will correct us.

Hon. W. D. Euler: I have just been wondering why we should have this holiday at all.

Hon. T. A. Crerar: Most of our holidays have some significance, and it is rather interesting to note the number of statutory holidays that we now celebrate. I should like to enumerate them. We have Good Friday. No one will question that.

Hon. Mr. Aseltine: Why not have that on Monday?

Hon. Mr. McKee: You overlooked New Year's Day.

Hon. Mr. Crerar: We have now the present Queen's Birthday, which is to be celebrated, I believe, on the 9th of June.

Hon. Mr. Aseltine: Why not have that on a Monday too?

Hon. Mr. Crerar: Of course. And why not have Christmas Day on a Monday, and Dominion Day? There is just as sound an argument for always having each of these holidays on a Monday as there is for always having Victoria Day on a Monday.

But let me continue with the list of statutory holidays. We have Victoria Day, and shall have it as long as the present legislation remains in force. Then we have the 1st of July, which I expect Canadians will celebrate for a long time to come. We have Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and most

cities in Canada now have a civic holiday when all business is suspended.

Hon. Mr. Farris: In Vancouver the stores are closed all day Wednesday.

Hon. Mr. Aseltine: And in Rosetown.

Hon. Mr. McKee: And the banks are closed on Saturdays. Hon. Mr. Crerar: I was about to mention that Saturday is now a bank holiday, and if certain efforts are successful it will soon be a civil service holiday. This practice of regarding Saturday as a holiday is spreading over the country.

Hon. Mr. McKee: Let's make every day a holiday.

Hon. Mr. Crerar: Are we not approaching the stage where we will have as many holidays as work days? I think the time has come when we should look realistically at the question of holidays. . . . I think that instead of passing a bill for the celebration of 24th of May on a Monday, we should repeal the Victoria Day Act altogether.

Hon. W. M. Aseltine: I am one of those who is in favor of Monday holidays, so that I can go fishing over the long weekend. That is important to me.

Hon. Mr. Roebuck: Still young.

Hon. Mr. Aseltine: Nevertheless, I am willing to give up my fishing for one week-end rather than have the birthday of Queen Victoria changed.

Hon. Arthur Roebuck: It is a fine time of the year for a holiday. All over Canada the crocuses are out; in most parts, certainly in Ontario, the wild flowers are in the woods, the grass is nice and green, and we are all glad to get rid of the snow, and the boys and girls want to go out and play in the open. I remember that, when I was young enough, it was a day on which we shed our red woollen underwear. Some of us would also take off our boots and shoes without any great objection on the part of our parents; and if we were hardy enough, we dived into the old swimming pool. It is the time of year when you want a holiday. Somebody said that it is now just another holiday. That is true, but also it is very well-timed, and I am not one of those who believe we have too many holidays. I think they are good things and that they help to develop the health and growth of our youth. As for working, surely we work long enough; and the school children too, because the object of education is not to cram young people with a lot of book learning but rather to develop them, and if they are to grow and expand their powers, holidays are essential.

From the Files of 25 and 50 Years Ago

MAY 13, 1927

The annual dance of the Newmarket High School Cadets took place in the Assembly Hall on Friday night of last week. About 150 pupils and ex-pupils were present and a splendid time was reported.

In order to encourage sport among the school children the Newmarket Athletic Association made a donation of \$100 for the purchase of bats, balls, lacrosse sticks, etc., to be distributed for the use of the kiddies going to school.

Mr. R. F. Smith, General Supt. of the Office Specialty Mfg. Co., also Mr. Joe Brammer, Chairman of the Safety First Committee, and Mr. G. E. Ayers of the First Aid Dept., attended the Annual Convention of the Industrial Accident Preventive Association held at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto.

The Warren Paving Company, which has done all the paving in Town so far, has received the contract for the paving of Botsford Street and it is expected that they will commence work this week.

MAY 16, 1902

North York Ag. Society directors are now completing arrangements for their annual excursion. It has been decided to go to some point in Muskoka this year—possibly Bracebridge.

The new roll returned to the Clerk shows a total increase in assessment of Newmarket of \$6,835. The total population is given at 2,378, an increase of only 12. There are 179 horses, 114 dogs, 79 cattle, 67 hogs, 20 sheep and 16 steam boilers. Only three or four appeals have been filed against the assessment.

Mr. Elias Armitage sold his brick residence on Eagle St., on Tuesday, to Mr. Hy. Case of Whitechurch. Mr. Armitage intends to go to Manitoba next month.

The Ontario Bank will open at 9 o'clock on Saturday mornings for the convenience of their patrons, until further notice.

Mr. Richard Kirton has been carrying his arm in a sling the past week, owing to a sprain which he received while loading some lumber at the farm on Thursday of last week.



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THE EDITORIAL PAGE

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THURSDAY, THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF MAY, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-TWO

LOW RENTAL HOUSING

The proposal for low-rental housing which is being studied by Newmarket town council offers many advantages. It will provide much needed accommodation in Newmarket and will put to use land owned by the town along Eagle St. There are two major disadvantages, however, which should be studied closely before the town commits itself. The first is that the town will be expected to subsidize the taxes on the sub-division. The second is that the taxes will be fixed by an authority outside the council. Neither practice is desirable.

It is intended that the homes will be rented on a basis of income. The provincial and federal governments will provide the difference between the cost of the sub-division and the income from it. The town will assess the sub-division in terms of the rent paid with the government again making up the difference up to 17 percent. Beyond that, the town will absorb the loss itself.

The rents will be set by an independent housing authority within limits imposed upon the authority by the provincial government. Since taxes will be determined by rents, the town will have little say in the taxes which it will receive.

The questions which these practices raise are: to what extent should the rest of the town be required to subsidize housing; to what extent should the town allow a separate authority to set the taxes.

We freely grant that these questions are, for the present anyway, somewhat academic since there is every assurance that the town will lose little income from the arrangement. But once it is provided for, the way is opened for practices which are undesirable in principle and could be expensive in practice.

The question is somewhat aggravated by the potential need for increased school facilities. It is intended to rent these homes to Newmarket families only and so at first glance, there would not seem to be any need for increased school facilities. But there is every likelihood that much of the accommodation vacated by families moving into the new homes will in turn be rented or bought by outside families. Ultimately, the new homes will mean an increased population.

If these new homes could be freely taxed, in time a new school would be paid for in an equitable manner but with taxes limited, it means that a larger share of the cost must be paid for by the rest of the town. Nor must it be forgotten that the increased population will require increased services such as police.

There is a definite need for low-rental housing. Apparently, it can only be provided by subsidies since a new home cannot be built to rent at low cost without subsidies. The question remains, however, of to what extent a municipality should be asked to assume a share of such subsidies. That should be the major consideration in the council's study of the proposal.

ABSURD SITUATION

The situation which now exists on the Newmarket public school board is absurd. The members of the board have had adequate time to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of the chairman, Mr. Herbert Atkins. When the issue came to a vote, however, it was a tie. One member was sick. His would have been the deciding vote. The issue was held over to the next meeting. Yet at that same meeting, members expressed doubt that the missing member would resume his seat on the board, that his ill-health might force his resignation too.

There is absolutely no need for the delay in the appointment. If there is a difference of opinion on a successor to Mr. Atkins, the ballot provides an adequate answer. Mrs. Caroline Ion, defeated candidate in the election, is the obvious choice. She polled only 14 votes less than the present chairman. Surely that entitles her to consideration by the whole board.

There is, unfortunately, no set precedent in Newmarket for choice of a successor to a member of the board who resigns in mid-term. In the past, appointments to the board have been made with no consideration of defeated candidates. Yet the practice generally followed elsewhere has been to name the defeated candidate to the vacancy. Is there any reason why it shouldn't be followed here?

The board would be performing a service to the ratepayers if it were to cease its bickering, make the obvious appointment, and at the same time, set a sensible precedent for boards of the future to follow.

BURNING OFF GRASS

There were some evenings in the past month when the western sky was hazy with the smoke of a hundred burnings as land was cleared of the last season's dead vegetation. It is a little late to remark on the matter, but here are a few statistics to store up against next spring when the fires are lighted again.

According to Audubon's book, "Conservation and Nature Activities", following an experiment in grass burning, hay yield was reduced from 52 percent to 71 percent over the previous year; water run-off increased from five to 30 times and soil erosion speeded up four to 11 times. An average of 50 pounds of nitrogen to the acre is contained in the top three or four inches of humus. Burning not only chars the humus, making it susceptible to blowing off, but the heat from the fire turns the nitrogen to gas which is released from the soil and lost.

It adds up to a pretty expensive undertaking in loss of soil fertility, not to mention the risk of loss of property, even lives. Two cars crashed head-on along one Ontario highway when smoke from a grass fire obscured their drivers' vision. Several persons were injured. And all this spring, district fire companies have been called out to protect buildings against the threat of a swift-running grass fire.

There must be more practical ways of preparing a field for spring and summer.

POLITICS AS BEFORE

The hoof and mouth outbreak in Saskatchewan may well prove one of the most serious blows ever struck at the Canadian economy. Hopes for an early end to the threat of a spread in the disease seem doomed with reports of fresh outbreaks.

Against this background, it is disquieting to read reports from Ottawa, where a federal committee is sitting in judgment on the government's handling of the outbreak, which suggest that the issue is being turned into the kind of committee room circus which is the stock in trade of Washington politicians.

The Globe and Mail carried a report last week on a committee sitting which carried the unedifying headline: "Saskatchewan Election Spurs Political Battle Over Foot-Mouth Disease". According to the story, C.C.F. members are attempting to place the blame for the spread of the disease on the Liberal government so that they can make the latter's fault a campaign issue in the forthcoming provincial election. The Liberals are retaliating with efforts to place the blame on the C.C.F. provincial government.

And because the Conservatives have no political stake in the election, the report continues, they can "afford to sit back and watch with some amusement the jockeying of the Liberal and C.C.F. committeemen" investigating the outbreak.

It is an outrageous insult to the electors that members of a government should seek to turn a serious economic crisis to party advantage. Every resource of the government's should be directed at alleviating the far-reaching effects of the outbreak. Instead, we are treated to the jockeying of politicians for political advantage.

Is it possible that the politicians are unaware of what is happening to the farm economy in Canada as a result of the disease, or what could happen if the outbreaks spread eastwards?

SAVATION ARMY CAMPAIGN

The Salvation Army is in the midst of its annual campaign for funds. We wish the campaign every success. Ever since its founding, the Salvation Army has earned a reputation for its unselfish work among those in want, whether the want was material or spiritual. The Salvation Army operates homes for unwed mothers, for the aged and for orphans and unwanted children.

The Salvation Army has never been afraid to go into slums or danger. Their hostels are built where needed. Their officers work in the courts and jails. During the war, their canteens were as far forward as they could be. The members of the Salvation Army are dedicated to the work of easing human suffering wherever it is found. Help them in this work by contributing to their campaign.

Office Cat Reports Catnips By Ginger

An Intimidate Message from "Park Avenue" Bliggens, Noted Graft Expert and Cousin of Contributing Columnist, our own Slim Bliggens.

Kingpins of the O'Dryer mayoralty regime in good old New York has been named by Cumming A. Cross, a well known convicted bookie and real smooth operator here as havin' accepted "political contrabutions".

Willie "Saltie" O'Brine, former police commissioner, Everett Graftin, eleventh deputy flatfoot commissioner, and James Stepton Towes, former first deputy fire commissioner, was so designated by Cross at the opening of the trial of seven plain clothes dicks accused of accepting bribes.

Cumming A. Cross was believed to be gambling for a reduction of his 13-year jug sentence.

Talkin' free-like in a six hour session in Joisey Burrow Hall, this here bookie presented a sharp contrast to his button-tipped refusal on Sept. 32, 1951, to testify in criminal court proceedings, thus wrecking the carefully prepared case of Dist. Attorney Miles F. Testimoni against 18 flatfoots.

Details of his operashuns were enough to startle even the subtle sensibilities of the New York public, which has received jar after jar during the past 18 months as trials and grand jury presentments disclosed municipal corruption.

"Even our subtle sensibilities is been startled," complained an average thinking citizen of New York, Looney S. O'Coone, billboard palace manager here. "We is received jars after jars of this stuff."

Cross named 120 dicks as receiving protection money. His operating cost ran "about \$2,000 a month for each spot." His "horse rooms" took between \$1,500 to \$2,000 a day, some as high as \$10,000. To protect these large operations, there were large-scale police pay-offs.

New Yorkers knows th their former mayor was a pointed to the ambassadors to Mexico by the president 1950, thus calling for an o year mayoralty election coinciding with the gubernatorial contest. Gubernatorial co test? Gubernatorial co test? That's what it says this here newspaper I'm copy New Yoikers know th O'Dryer came reluctantly to testify. They know the spected City Club asked president to investigate or c miss his appointment. N they read a bookie ringlea says he paid O'Brine, appoi ed to the police commissi O'Dryer, continued sums graft money. O'Brine say, \$20,000,000 bookmaking inv tigation made his position tenable".

O'Dryer has maintained disceech silence in Me City on other matters but c O'Brine "as honest a man have ever known. . ." now

Your intimidate corresp ent phoned former Mayor Dryer in Mexico City yester to ask some pertinent q tions. "How does the air Mexico City compare to the in Brooklyn, O'Dryer?" I s "Oh yes," said the amba dor.

"Oh what?" I asked.

"Oh drier." Incidentally, I mentio James Stepton Towes as on those designated by Cumr A. Cross. He also is "un able" at the moment, being tenable in Green Corners son serving a 25 year sent for extortion and conspi He was, by the way, a poli protege of O'Dryer during sensational rise of the ye Irish plasterer's apprentice mayor of this big city.

No, there is little doubt all in the mind of your in date correspondent about here graft citation whatso It certainly is graft. Gra is, there is no doubt.

But what's a horseshorn a gubernatorial contest?

by "Dairy Farmer" The Top Six Inches

We are wondering these days what the future holds for marketing of agricultural products in this province. There is some marketing legislation, a procedure for applying for it and voting for it. The trouble seems to be that once the machinery is put into motion and the vote asked for, the producers never seem to get the necessary majority.

Take the case of milk on the Toronto market. It was defeated by a very small percentage. Actually it got the biggest part of the votes sent in, but it was short of the required percentage of the total.

The poultry scheme had a much rougher fate. It didn't even come close to the required majority. From what we hear, it had to have about 30,000 yes votes, and it only got about 7,000. The polling booths were open for three days and the people who were looking after them had a very easy time of it.

We understood that the hog marketing scheme, in the opinion of the authorities, had such unanimous support that it was to be granted without a vote. Yet after the big push last spring, nothing much was heard of it.

Where is the trouble? Why is it that a principle so often approved and whose merits are so often extolled at meetings, is defeated when it is put to vote, and its supporters must stand up and be counted.

Many reasons could be advanced. The pessimists and those who distrust the ability of the farming community, will point to indifference as the main cause. Well, maybe it is indifference, but indifference is just a symptom and not the cause. The fact is that indifference is the result of distrust and distrust is the result of

lack of education and information. That at least could be remedied. We might as face the fact that our are not as strong as the tendency at meetings would dictate. Our weakness is a number that does not add

The second factor influencing this situation is the element of compulsion that seems to be inherent in a marketing scheme. Now that is a very hard to swallow. To agree "told" where and when to ket is something we h learned yet to love and haps never shall. Deep in our own hearts, after a work had been done o milk vote and all the ars had been settled, there feeling of relief that we have to face this new pr

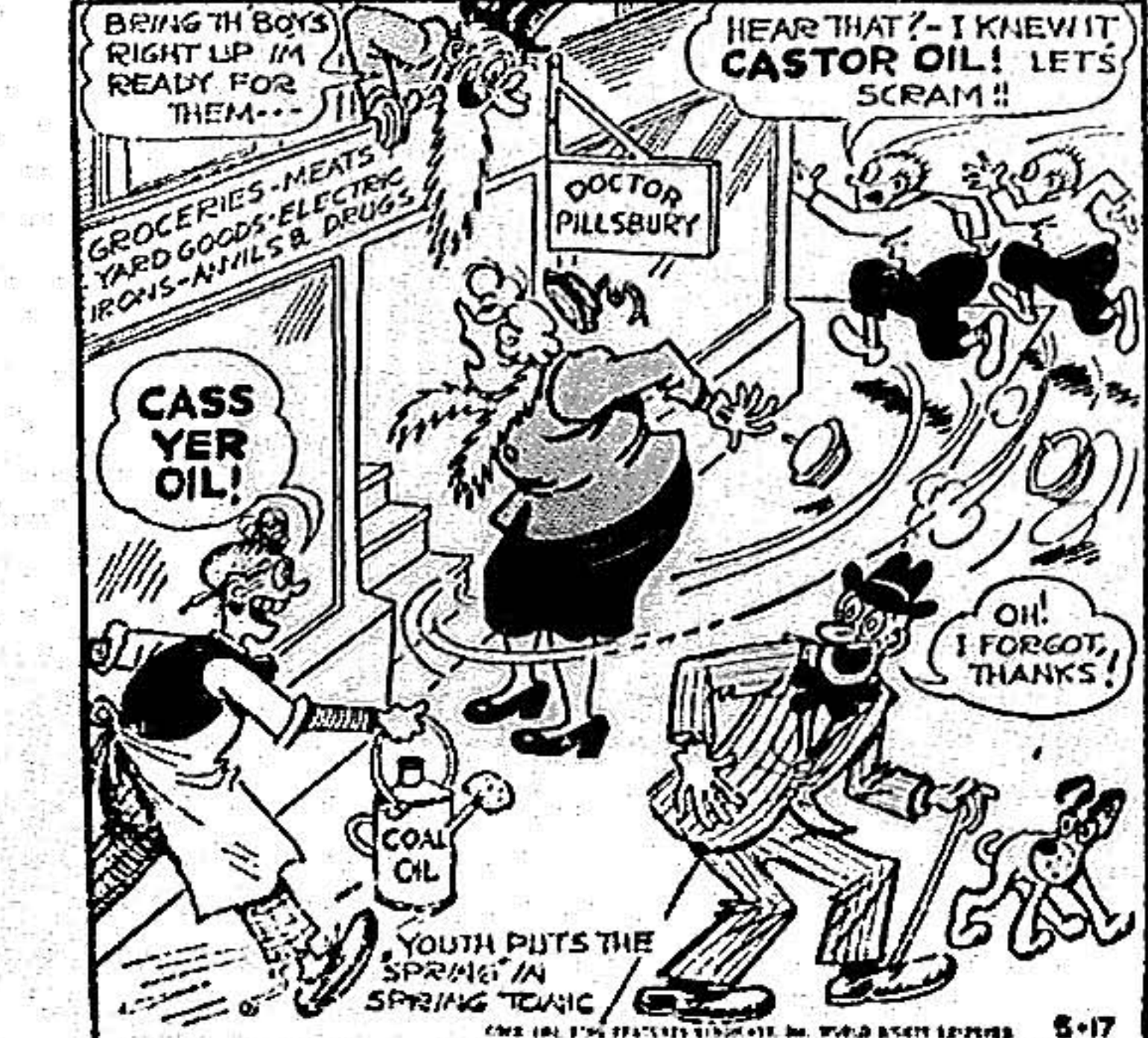
It wasn't the question of lying it to be right o Those of us who pushed lieved in it all right. B don't know that we really it. We would like to p a third factor and one t the strongest obstacle to keting scheme. We don't where the agricultural nesmen would come fr run such a scheme. Wh the agricultural lawyer, where are the agricultu onomists? There aren't There are few hard-w men, mostly unpaid and preciated. But they are to take on a provincial tional job. There are t litical aspirants, not too but enough, for whom t munity effort is a spring to things to come.

What we sadly lac without whose efforts a lective action can be ta the leadership, the u and well qualified kno of business, commerc law.

BETWEEN THE HAMMER AND THE ANVIL



THE OLD HOME TOWN



The state is the servant, not the master, of the people; the state is their guarantee against infringement on their rights, their agent in international and national issues; it is not the function of the state to assume the direction of those activities which rest on individual choice.

PHONE 505

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NEW 4-room house. Apply G. MacInnis, 7 Church St., phone 1106, Newmarket. *4w17

NEW 4-room bungalow, large living room, hardwood floors, modern kitchen, loads of cupboards, 4-piece bath, decorated in oil paint, close to school and bus at door. Apply 4 Crescent Dr., Newmarket. *2w19

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50 ACRES, hydro, lots of water, good buildings, 12 acres of mixed bush. Main road, \$3,000. Terms. Apply Alex Card, R.R. 1, Cedar Valley, Ont. *c2w20

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FURNISHED rooms, suitable for bedroom or light housekeeping. Apply 55 Niagara St., Newmarket. *2w20

FURNISHED room with board, for 1 or 2 persons. Phone 1478j, Newmarket. *1f13

FURNISHED bedroom, twin beds. Phone 1151w, Newmarket, evenings. *c2w19

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BUDGET hoist, 1-4-ton, single phase, 110 volts, 60 cycle. Handy for machine shop, garage, etc. Reason for selling, too light for our job. A bargain at \$75.00. Apply Era and Express, phone 780. *1f19

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17 ARTICLES FOR SALE

ICE-BOX, large size, Monarch, 75 lb. capacity, in perfect condition. Phone 248w, Newmarket. *c2w19

FIVE painted wood garden chairs. Phone 18, King. *c2w19

BROWN metal bed and springs; electric range; 6 dining chairs; kitchen cabinet. Phone 1025j, Newmarket. *c1w20

WEDDING gown, white blush satin, size 16, sweetheart neckline, small train. Reasonable. Phone 1160, Newmarket. *c1w20

RUGS, broadloom. Save up to 50 percent. New rugs from old rugs, woollens and discarded clothing. Reversible, seamless & approximately 1-2" thick. Made in latest color tones. Phone Newmarket 24m. *1f17

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COLEMAN gas range, 4-burner, oven with grill, white porcelain with black trim. Best offer. Apply 50A Cotter St., or phone 1110w, Newmarket. *c1w20

REFRIGERATOR, G.E. commercial, 2 doors, A1 condition. Phone 970r, Newmarket. *c1w20

CHESTERFIELD, wine, Kroehner, with chrome wine chair. Combination wardrobe chest; modern, Dinette suite, 6-piece, good. Kitchen cabinet, white enamel top. Large chest drawers. Dropleaf table. Dining extension table. Ice-box, 75 lbs., steel. Kidney vanity with bench. Desk drop front 3-piece chesterfield, good. Enamel top tables. Jacket heater, 30 gal. tank. Spring-filled mattress, single. Card tables. Kitchen chairs, box stove, annex heater, Quebec heater, brass, china, glass, etc. articles. Phone F. Hirst, Queensville 1116. *c1w20

THE result of our 10-day Profit Sharing sale has been most gratifying. So many folks have taken advantage of our money saving, reduced prices that we are continuing our Profit Sharing sale for the balance of this month. Everything in the store is being offered below our regular low prices. We are listing just a few of our outstanding values. Won't you drop in and look over the hundreds of items we are offering at money saving prices? Army gas cans with greened flexible spout, reg. \$3.95 for \$3.50. Penman's light weight work box, 2 pair \$8c. Every dress shoe in the store below regular price. Cream enamel and varnish (name brands) reg. \$1.85 qt. for \$1. qt. Army Airforce sunglasses, reg. \$1.95 for \$1.49. Razor blades, guaranteed, reg. 100 for \$1. for 89c. White or colored T shirts reg. 98c for 79c. Gabardine trousers reg. \$7.95 for \$5.95. Colored summer pullovers reg. \$2.25 for \$1.79. Sleeping bags reg. \$11.95 for \$9.95. New rubberized groundsheet reg. \$1.95 for \$1.69. Rugged collapsible stools reg. \$1.75 for \$1.45. See us for drivers' uniforms. Zippered jackets, trousers, caps, shirts all matching, complete four piece outfit for \$13.50 or any piece sold separately, at best prices anywhere. We have over size jackets in this item also. Uniform caps in this colors, all sizes \$1.39 and \$1.59. We believe we have the best values and biggest assortment of work boots in the district. Seven types from which to choose, from \$4.75 to \$7.75. All our spring windbreakers, jackets, casuals, work jackets and gabardine tops have been greatly reduced. Mail or phone orders receive prompt attention. Satisfaction guaranteed. Army Airforce Stores, opposite Post Office, phone 119w, Aurora. *c1w20

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ICE-BOX, 50 lb. capacity; oven for coal oil stove; hotplate in good repair. Apply 9 Simcoe St. W., Newmarket. *2w20

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QUEBEC heater, small, \$5. Poultry fencing 4 ft., about 5 rods, \$5. Man's pin-striped suit, 2 pants, size 40 \$15. Bird cage and stand, \$4. Woman's grey wool gabardine suit, size 16, \$15. Phone 750w, Newmarket. *c1w20

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The "All New" Airfoam chesterfield suite, now on display in our window. Compare its beauty of design and unsurpassed comfort to suites selling at twice the price.

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1949 MONARCH 5-passenger coupe, clean throughout. Apply 23 Church St., Newmarket. *c1w20

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All work guaranteed. Earl Atkinson, phone 593r1, King. *1f14

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LANDSCAPE gardening. Clay tennis court construction. Resurfacing. Evergreens and shrubs and sodding. Work guaranteed. Phone 601w, Aurora. *c3w40

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MAN to remove tree stumps. R. Scott, Bogartown, R.R. 3, Newmarket, phone 211w21. *c1w20

MIDDLE-AGED couple required. Experienced gardener, handy man able to drive car. Wife to help with housework once a week. References. Live at cottage, in country home near Toronto. Phone Port Credit, Crys. 8-4131. *c3w19

WATRESS

Full time, 20-45 years. Experience preferred, but not essential. Transportation provided. Apply in person at Bell's Corner, Davis Dr. W. Yonge St., Newmarket. *1f19

GENERAL maintenance man, familiar with low pressure boiler system. Would need some acetylene welding experience. Apply T. Sisman Shoe Co., Aurora. *c2w19

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Wanted to sell from door 225 products well known and guaranteed including cosmetics, culinary, medicines, farm specialties, tea, coffee, etc. Exclusive territory. \$18. needed. A splendid opportunity to step into profitable business and earn \$50 to \$60 per week. No risk. Write Jito, 5130 St. Hubert, Montreal. *c1w20

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Young man in local hardware store. To learn the business. Good opportunity for right person. Apply in own handwriting to Era and Express box 132. *1f18

TRUCK driver wanted at once. Must be over 25. Reliable and willing. Apply Peter Gorman Limited, Newmarket. *c1w20

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IN THE ESTATE OF EMMANUEL MILLER, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GUILMBURY, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, MASON DECEASED.

CREDITORS of the above-named deceased, who died at the Township of North Guilmbury, in the County of York, on or about the Third day of November, 1951, are hereby notified, pursuant to the Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the Tenth day of June, 1952, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this Sixth day of May, A.D. 1952.

D'Arcy Miller and Stanley Miller, Executors,
Mathews, Stiver, Lyons & Vale,
Newmarket, Ont.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM FREDERICK CRAWFORD, LATE OF THE TOWN OF NEWMARKET, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, MERCHANT, DECEASED.

Creditors of the above-named deceased, who died at the Township of Innisfil, in the County of Simcoe, on or about the Fifth day of March, 1952, are hereby notified pursuant to The Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claim on or before the Third day of June, 1952, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this Twenty-ninth day of April, A.D. 1952.

Mathews, Stiver, Lyons & Vale,
Newmarket, Ontario,
Solicitors for Lena Crawford, Administratrix.

NOTICE

TAKE notice that on Friday, May 16, 1952, at the hour of one o'clock under and by virtue of the provision of the Warehouseman's Lien Act, there will be offered for sale for charges owing on the following vehicle:

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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF NEWMARKET NOTICE

IN the matter of a proposed by-law for the closing and stopping up of a lane lying between lots 49, 51, 53, 55, 48, 50, 52 and 54, according to plan 125, Newmarket, and for selling and conveying the freehold of the road so stopped up.

TAKE NOTICE that at a meeting of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Town of Newmarket to be held on Monday, the ninth day of June, 1952, at eight o'clock in the afternoon, Daylight Saving Time, consideration will be given by the Council to the passing of a proposed bylaw providing for the closing and stopping up of a lane on Plan 125 on the north side of Grace Street, lying between Lots 49, 51, 53, 55, 48, 50, 52 and 54 and for the sale and conveyance thereof.

AND at the said meeting the Council will hear any person, or by his Counsel any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the said proposed Bylaw.

DATED at Newmarket this eighth day of May, A.D. 1952.

Wesley Brooks,
Clerk.

NOTICE

WHITCHURCH TOWNSHIP DUMPS

Located for west sides at Mrs. P. Ash's, north side of C.F.R.B. sidetrack, 12 miles east of Yonge St. and for east side, J. M. Groves, lot 16, con. 7, Whitechurch Twp., will be open to ratepayers of Whitechurch Twp. for disposal of garbage and other refuse, on dates of May 16, 17 and May 23 and 24. No animal or vegetable matter to be placed in these dumps.

John Crawford, clerk

TENDERS

TOWNSHIP OF WHITCHURCH TENDERS FOR WEED SPRAYING MATERIAL

SEALED tenders clearly marked as to contents will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, May 22, 1952.

To supply 45 imperial gallons of herbicide amine weed spray, containing not less than 80 oz. 2 4-D acid per imperial gallon, also 45 imperial gallons brush kill.

LOWEST or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Ernest Davis,
Road Superintendent,
R.R. 1 Gormley.

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TOWNSHIP OF WHITCHURCH TENDERS FOR WEED SPRAYER

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To supply weed sprayer for roadside spraying, consisting of 500 or 600 gallon tank. High and low pressure, boom and spray gun, mounted on a four wheel rubber tread trailer.

LOWEST or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Ernest Davis,
Road Superintendent,
R.R. 1 Gormley.

TENDERS

PAINTING TENDERS

SEALED tenders plainly marked as to content and addressed to the undersigned will be received up to 12.00 noon, May 26, 1952, for the exterior painting of 50 houses at Newmarket.

SPECIFICATIONS and forms of tender required may be obtained at the address shown below. Each tender must be accompanied by a security deposit of five per cent of the amount of the tender. A certified cheque or negotiable Dominion of Canada Bonds will be accepted as a security deposit.

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TENDERS

TENDERS FOR PLUMBING

TENDERS will be received by the Newmarket Public School board up to Tuesday, June 3rd, 1952, for plumbing work to be done at the Alexander Muir school.

PARTICULARS may be obtained from the sec-treas., B. F. Hunter.

BIRTHS

ANDREWS — At York County hospital, Thursday, May 15, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Andrews, Newmarket, a son.

BURRY — At York County hospital, Monday, May 12, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burry, Kettleby, a son.

CAMPBELL — At York County hospital, Saturday, May 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Melville Campbell, Keswick, a daughter.

COLLINGS — At York County hospital, Saturday, May 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. William Collings, Bradford, a daughter, Janice Lucille.

COOPER — At York County hospital, Saturday, May 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Cooper, R.R. 3 King, a daughter.

DALTON — Clifford and Shirley are very happy to say their baby sister Ruth Mary, arrived safely on Monday, May 12, 1952, at Maple Nursing Home, George and Merle are proud parents.

DELL — At York County hospital, Saturday, May 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dell, Keswick, a son.

DENNIS — At York County hospital, Thursday, May 15, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis, Newmarket, a daughter.

FAIRBARN — At York County hospital, Wednesday, May 14, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Perry Fairbairn, Sutton West, a son.

HANDMAAYER — At York County hospital, Wednesday, May 14, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. May Handmaayer, R.R. 1, Kettleby, a daughter.

HERDMAN — At York County hospital, Saturday, May 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Herdman, R.R. 1, Keswick, a daughter.

JACK — At York County hospital, Wednesday, May 14, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jack, Oak Ridges, a daughter.

LEFARD — At York County hospital, Saturday, May 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Carman Lefard, Holt, a daughter.

MACMILLAN — At York County hospital, Tuesday, May 13, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Macmillan, Queensville, a daughter.

PUGSLEY — At York County hospital, Saturday, May 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pugsley, Sutton West, a daughter.

PEARSON — At York County hospital, Sunday, May 11, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. John Pearson, Mount Albert, a son.

REVILL — At York County hospital, Saturday, May 10, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. William Revill, Newmarket, a son.

RUSH — At York County hospital, Tuesday, May 13, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rush, Newmarket, a son.

SMOCKHAM — At York County hospital, Monday, May 12, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Ken Smockham, R.R. 1, Pefferlaw, a son.

STICKWOOD — At York County hospital, Friday, May 9, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stickwood, R.R. 1, Sharon, a daughter.

SMITH — At York County hospital, Sunday, May 11, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Reg Smith, Queensville, a daughter.

TESKEY — At York County hospital, Wednesday, May 14, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. William Teskey, Pefferlaw, a daughter.

WILSON — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, Newmarket, are happy to announce the birth of their son, Douglas Robert Gordon, 8 lbs. 3 1/2 oz., a brother for Jo Anne and Gail, on Tuesday, May 13, 1952, at York County hospital.

WILLIS — At the Red Cross hospital, Bunk's Falls, Thursday, May 8, 1952, Rev. and Mrs. L. R. Willis, a son, still born.

MOUNT ALBERT BACK

Mount Albert will re-enter the Lake Simcoe softball league. "Three or four players from Holt are turning out with the team and a couple of new prospects should put us right back in the hunt for the Stan. Cook trophy," reports Joe Case, Mount Albert executive. Coach, manager and club officials will be named this week. Holt, mentioned previously as a possible eighth team in the Lake Simcoe league, have shelved plans for this year, according to latest advice.

DEATHS

GILLHAM — At Windsor, Ont., on May 11, 1952, Matilda Gillingshead, wife of the late Mark Gillham and mother of Estella, Wilma, Blanche, (Mrs. Gladstone Rowley) of Leamington; Harper C. of Ottawa and Mark Pearson (Percy), Detroit. Service was held on Wednesday, May 14, Interment King City cemetery.

CLYDE — After a lingering illness, at her home, Sutton West, Saturday morning, May 10, 1952, Edna Maud Wilson in her 67th year, wife of Wes Clyde. Service was held on Tuesday, May 13, Interment Whitevale cemetery.

HAYES — Suddenly, at his late residence, 143 Gurnett St., Aurora, Sunday, May 11, 1952, Robert James Hayes, husband of Susan Robinson, father of Thelma, Isabel and Gordon; brother of Margaret and Isabel of Bradford. Service was held on Wednesday, May 14, Interment Aurora cemetery.

MERCER — At the Hospital for Sick Children, on Monday, May 12, 1952, Bruce Douglas Mercer, infant son of Bruce and Edna Mercer of 4 Elmgrove Ave., Lake Wilcox, and brother of Lynda and the late Judith Annette Mercer. Service was held on Tuesday, May 13, Interment Prospect cemetery.

KAY — At Toronto East General Hospital, Thursday, May 8, 1952, Dr. Amos Frank Kay, husband of Dr. Caroline Douglas, his 73rd year, father of Ronald Kay, Toronto, and the late Squadron Leader Harry Kay, brother of Mrs. J. J. Foster, Pefferlaw. Service was held at Schomberg United church on Saturday, May 10, Interment Schomberg Union cemetery.

HENBEST — At his home, R.R. 2, Newmarket, on Thursday, May 8, 1952, Rev. William Henbest, husband of Annie C. Tufford, father of C. H. Henbest, Inglewood, and H. V. Henbest, Brampton. Service was held at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose, Newmarket, on Saturday, May 10, Interment Newmarket cemetery.

HARPER — At Our Lady of Mercy hospital, on Wednesday, May 7, 1952, Minnie May Chaloner, wife of the late William Harper, in her 84th year, mother of Charles, Gilbert and Nelson H. Harper of Toronto, and Isaac and Gordon Harper of Detroit; sister of Henry Chaloner of Cleveland, and Albert Chaloner of Toledo, Ohio. Service was held at the Trull Funeral Home on Friday, May 9, Interment Maple cemetery, Maple, Ont.

BURCH — At Newmarket, on Saturday, May 10, 1952, Celia Moore, wife of the late Joseph Burch. Funeral service was held at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on May 13, Interment Prospect cemetery.

SIMPSON — At York County hospital on Monday, May 12th, 1952, Frederick Simpson, husband of Eliza Bray, in his 73rd year. Funeral service was held on Thursday, Interment in Queensville cemetery.

SWEET — At Pine Orchard, on Tuesday, May 13, 1952, Marie May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Sweet, aged 4 months. Interment in Queensville cemetery on Thursday, May 15.

WHITE — At Newmarket, on Friday, May 9, 1952, Albert Samuel White, husband of the late Alma Blanche Judd, father of Wallace, Toronto, and Valerie, Detroit. Service was held on Monday, Interment Prospect cemetery, Toronto.

IN MEMORIAM

EVANS — In loving memory of a dear husband and dad, Charles Evans, who passed away May 18, 1945.

We cannot, Lord, thy purpose see,
But all is well that's done by Thee.

Ever remembered by his wife and family.

LAWSON — In loving memory of our dear father, William Craig Lawson, who passed away May 12, 1949.

Come into that light that shines so fair;
Gone from the earth of sorrow and care;
Resting those hands that did their best;
Gone dear father gone to rest.

Peacefully sleeping, resting at last,
His weary trials and troubles are past;
In silence he suffered, in patience he bore,
Till God called him home to suffer no more.

Sadly missed and lovingly remembered by his daughters Flora and Gertrude.

MONKMAN — In loving memory of a dear mother, Mrs. Thos. Monkman, who passed away May 18, 1936, also a dear father who passed away Sept. 24, 1938. Beautiful memories of those so dear.

We cherish still with love sincere;
A day that comes with sad regret,
And one that we will never forget.

Ever remembered by their family.

SIMPSON — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. Louise Simpson, who passed away May 13, 1951.

Her weary hours and days of pain,
The troubled nights are past;
And in our aching hearts, we know,
She has found sweet rest at last.

Ever remembered by Wilfred, Evelyn and grandsons.

ST. JOHN — In loving memory of our dear parents, Mary St. John, who passed away May 18, 1950, and Clarence Wesley St. John, who passed away May 25, 1946.

In our hearts your memory lingers.
Sweetly tender, fond and true;
There is not a day, dear parents,
That we do not think of you.
Lovingly remembered by the family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the members of the fire brigades, Newmarket, Mount Albert, Holland Landing, Sutton and Queensville for their gallant work in saving our home. We realize that had the firemen, neighbors and friends not worked so hard and quickly, that all would have been lost. Queensville firemen with their inadequate equipment did a great deal to lessen the fire hazard till the bigger brigades arrived. Queensville men must be especially commended for their bravery and work. We thank all the neighbors, friends and firemen for the wonderful work in removing furniture from the home when it was thought that all would be burned and also restoring it to place when the fire was over. The ladies must be thanked for their help to restore order in the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Chapman

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green of King City extend hearty appreciation to all who assisted in removing their store stock for the recent fire and to the Aurora, Maple and King fire departments, although hampered by bad roads and low water pressure.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my kind friends and neighbors for the lovely flowers and cards sent to me during my recent stay in York County hospital. Special thanks are extended to Dr. G. M. Peever, my special nurses and the nurses and staff of York County hospital.

Mrs. W. Cyril Blight

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Henbest and family wish to express sincere gratitude to all those who expressed sympathy and gave assistance in their recent bereavement in the loss of a loving husband and father.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Ken Mount wishes to thank the Newmarket Lions Club, Newmarket Bus Lines, Newmarket Taxi managers and employees, Dr. W. C. Arkinstall and Dr. J. Ritchie, nurses of York County hospital, friends and relatives for their acts of kindness during his illness.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stevenson, Aurora, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion Leona, to Mr. Howard Edwin Timbers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Timbers, Aurora, the marriage to take place Saturday, June 7, at 4 o'clock at Aurora United church.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Marritt, Keswick, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Jean, to Mr. John A. Edwards, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Edwards, Newmarket. The marriage will take place in Keswick United Church June 14, at 3.30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Edvard, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sheila Avril, to Mr. Howard Thomas Sinclair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sinclair, Sarnia, the marriage to take place on Saturday, June 7, at 2.30 o'clock in St. Paul's Anglican Church, Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knights, Queensville, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley Mae, to Mr. Harold Merlyn Rogers, son of Mrs. Rogers, Queensville, and the late Mr. Fred Rogers, the marriage to take place in Queensville, May 31, 1952.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Wight, Keswick, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Alice, to Mr. John Andrew Manning, son of Benjamin Manning, Lindsay, Ontario, the wedding to take place on June 14, at 4 o'clock D.S.T., in Keswick Christian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Boddington announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Dorothy Joan, to Mr. James Peter Le Moine, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Le Moine, Orangeville. The marriage will take place on Saturday, May 31, 1952, in St. Paul's Anglican church, Newmarket.

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ST. JOHN — In loving memory of our dear parents, Mary St. John, who passed away May 18, 1950, and Clarence Wesley St. John, who passed away May 25, 1946.

More Sports News

Peel-York Softball

All eight teams in the Peel-York softball league will start tonight (Thursday) to get the league season underway, reports league secretary Bruce Hall of King City. First week schedule is:

May 15, King City at Woodbridge, Bolton at Nobleton, Kettleby at Humber Summit, Pot-tageville at Schomberg;

May 20, Woodbridge at Pot-tageville, Nobleton at King City, Humber Summit at Bolton, Schomberg at Kettleby;

May 22, Kettleby at Woodbridge, Pot-tageville at Nobleton, King City at Humber Summit, Bolton at Schomberg.

LAKE SIMCOE MEETING

Last and final call for Lake Simcoe softball league entries. Lake Simcoe league delegates will meet tonight (Thursday) at the Sharon hall at 8 p.m. to complete plans for the season. Each team entering the league race is asked to have a representative present. Each team must also present a players' list for executive inspection. Meeting is called for 8 p.m.

Aurora League Officers

The organization meeting of the Aurora town softball league was held Wednesday. Following suggestions of the nominating committee of Mickey Sutton, Cliff Chapman, Bill McGhee, Bill Mundell and Jim Murray, the following officers were installed: Len Holman was named president; Councillor Jim Murray, vice-president; Gardner Lloyd, secretary-treasurer.

The league will have a new look this season. Three of last year's four teams, Hart's, Collis' and Merchants, will be missing. Three new teams, Civil Service (Hospital), Cliff Chapman's Aces and Grant Ferguson's team are seeking entry. Mickey Sutton's Ditch Diggers will be back. When the teams complete their plans it should add up to a snappy four-team league.

TENNIS MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Newmarket Tennis Club at the town tennis courts Tuesday, May 27, at 7.30 p.m. In case of rain, the meeting will be held at the home of Keith Davis.

MAYOR SAYS

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Reeve Evans listed a number of charitable donations made by the Newmarket Veterans' Association through funds raised by bingos. They included \$300 for the hospital, \$150 for a local hockey club, \$300 for the Winnipeg flood and larger amounts to help veterans' families. "Maybe we should have a bingo to pay the insurance premium," Mr. Evans suggested.

"If the town hall produced only \$275 in revenue for all that trouble, I think we might as well give it free to the organizations," said Councillor Boyd.

"On one hand, you have a community-owned place like the arena which operates to meet its cost yet you oppose doing the same thing here," said the mayor.

"But people renting the arena have a chance to make something on gate receipts," Mr. Dales replied. "It would be pretty hard to do that in the town hall unless you charged a one dollar admission fee."

The discussion was abandoned. The mayor said that the finance committee would meet to consider insurance on all town buildings, the cost of which was becoming too great, he said. On the other hand, he said, the town hall building was insured far too low.

Sponsors Kettleby Teams

The sports-minded Kettleby Community Club will sponsor two softball teams this season, a men's team in the Peel-York softball league, and a ladies' team in the York-Simcoe league.

Kettleby fans can look forward to a busy and exciting season with Schomberg, Pot-tageville, King City, Woodbridge, Nobleton, Humber Summit and Bolton supplying the opposition to the men. Opposition to the ladies will be Bradford, Beeton and Schomberg.

Joe Ball and Alan Cutting will share the coaching duties with the men's team. Don Cheyne was named manager at a recent meeting. (Miss) Grace Webster has been elected manager of the ladies' team and Fred Costigan coach.

Kettleby ladies will open their season before the home folks on May 23 with Schomberg the visitors.

WILL GIVE MUSICAL

A musical and recital, vocal and piano, will be given by the pupils of Mrs. J. E. Cane at the Christian Baptist church on Tuesday evening, June 3.

SHARON

The Sharon W.I. is sponsoring a Home and School meeting in the Sharon school, on Friday, May 30, at 8 p.m. All parents and friends are asked to attend. Guest speakers will be Mrs. P. A. McClelland, president of York County Home and School and Mrs. H. E. Le Massurier, president of a newly formed York Summit Home and School.

DINNER MEETING

A dinner meeting will be held at Summit View Inn on Tuesday, May 20, 7 p.m. by the Business and Professional Women's Inter-club council. This is the first such gathering of the council. Guest speaker will be Miss Lilias Trout, president of the Brampton B. and P. club. Any members of the Newmarket club wishing to attend are requested to contact Miss Noline Ayers.

KESWICK

The following pupils of Mrs. H. Pollard were successful at the Woodbridge Festival: Deborah Mohan, class under 9, received 78 marks; Carol Boothby, class under 11, 77 marks; Peggy Carr, received 3rd prize (certificate marks 81). These girls were up against strong competition and did very well indeed.

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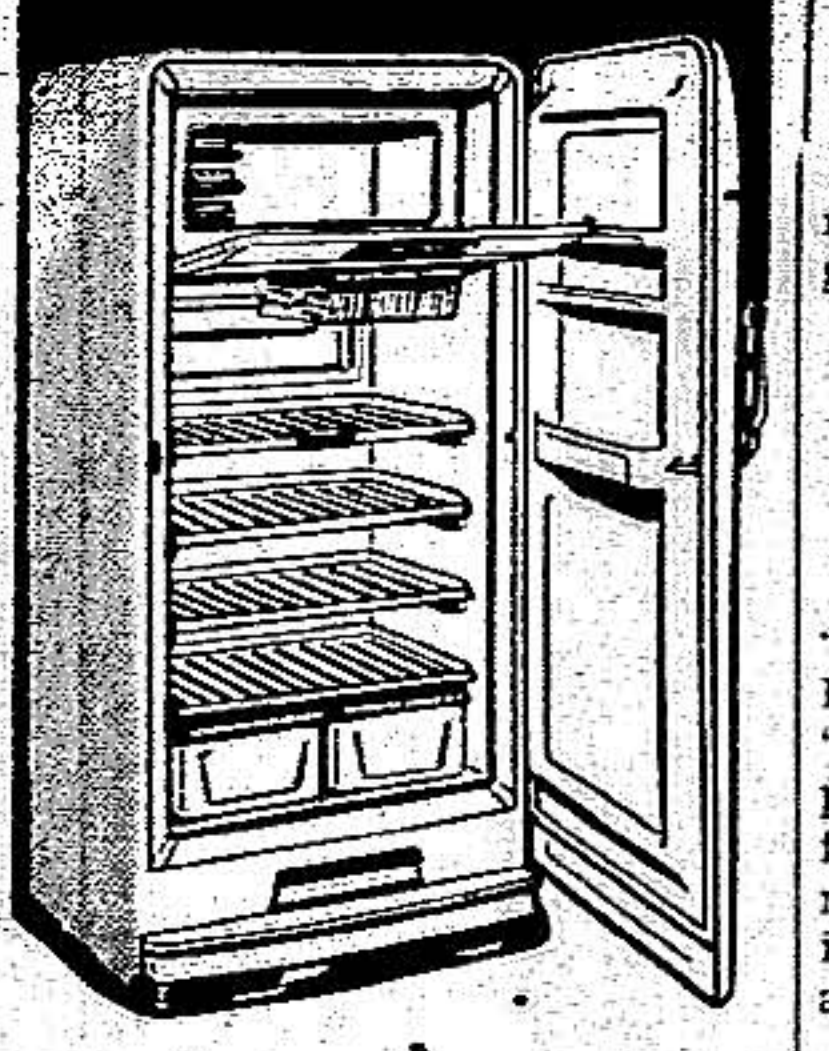
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The accent is on the Highlands in this number, presented by pupils of Mrs. Charles Gordon in a recital before over-flow audiences in the Newmarket town hall last week. Mrs. Gordon taught the girls, under the sponsorship of the Newmarket Recreation commission. See below.
Photo by Haskett.

Dancers Warmly Praised

"A top-rate show," said one. "Reminded me of the famous Rockettes," added another. "There was a 100 percent improvement over last year's performances. The costumes were more lavish; the routines more intricate and the dancers more accomplished."

So ran the praise for the recital presented by Mrs. Charles Gordon's dancing class at the Newmarket Town Hall on Friday and Saturday, May 9 and 10.

The class, comprising nearly 90 local girls is sponsored by the Newmarket Recreation commission. Its recital drew an overflow audience to both performances. The enthusiastic group witnessed a varied program which was presented "round theatre fashion as in the Old Country".

The tap routines, ballet choreography and gym exercises were the original compositions of Mrs. Gordon. She also designed the costumes with the mothers making them.

A physical education march by girls aged nine to 12 opened the program. Little ones, four and five years old, captivated the audience with their Jack and Jill number, a song and rhythm routine. The Jills were costumed in pink poke bonnets, old fashioned dresses with ruffles and matching pantaloons. The Jacks were just as attractive with their blue little Dutch caps with big tassels, long trousers and shirts.

The costumes were outstanding in the following number, "Swanee River". Minstrel in design, they were red jackets, striped trousers and tall hats. Six to nine year olds took part in this tap.

"Balloons in Rhythm" by the teenagers was a rhythm exercise in which the 14 performers wore short, satin dance costumes in gold and mauve. They were followed by the "Jolly Jesters", nine to 12 years old, who, in their red and green jester costumes performed a ballet number which was very difficult for this age group.

Next came a Scotch tap when 12 and 13 year old girls in their plaid kilts did a number which was outstanding in the perfection of their synchronized movements. The "Tango of the Roses" was performed by June Trivett and Gloria Shropshire in the "Butterfly Ballet," Rose Mary Johns was the ballerina. She was dressed completely in yellow with the other 22 members of the troupe in blue. It was a beautiful number gracefully executed. The butterflies' antennae were spangled with huge sequins which sparkled and twinkled with the changing spot lights.

"Wild Indians," a tap featuring 14 teenagers dressed in bur-lap, feathered headresses and fringed skirts were next on the program. They were followed by "Skipping Ballet" with Rose Mary Johns appearing as ballerina. A duet, "Swinging down the lane," was performed by Arlene Simmons and Janet McNab dressed in drum majorette costumes of white satin with gold trim. The teenagers of the dancing class in black and white costumes presented a tap number, "Slow Poke" and a kicking tap, "Down Yonder".

Dr. C. E. Vandervoort acted as master of ceremonies. The accompanist was Mrs. Gordon. Downward, Wayne Woneh provided a musical interlude with two solos, "Beautiful Days" and "La Golindrina". Gene Garrett sang "Lock Lomand". Mrs. Charles Simmons assisted Mrs. Gordon. Mrs. George Haskett was costume manager.

The children made presentations to Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Downward and Mrs. Simmons. On behalf of the class, Jackie Gordon presented her mother with a travel clock. A similar clock was given to Mrs. Downward by Patsy Walker and Arlene Simmons presented her mother with a jewelry box.

The Recreation commission chairman, Joseph Dales, thanked Mrs. Gordon and her assistants for the excellent work they were doing for the girls of Newmarket. He made a presentation to each of them on behalf of the commission. Mrs. Gordon expressed her appreciation to the Newmarket Legion. They have given the classes the use of the hall every Tuesday throughout the season, light and heat included, without charge as well as allowing them to practice on other occasions free of charge.

Mrs. Gordon said she was very happy with the progress made by the girls in their year's work. She thanked the mothers for their fine cooperation and said that special mention was due to Mrs. Bruce Walker, Mrs. Early Thompson, Mrs. D. Cowal, Mrs. Thornton, Mrs. Bill Haskett and Mrs. Donald Brown.

Newmarket Social News

—Mr. and Mrs. William Hall, Toronto, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Hill.

—Mrs. Bertram Bell, Toronto, visited her mother, Mrs. S. Madill, over the weekend.

—Mrs. Arthur Pryor, Toronto, is a guest this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cook.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D'Angelo, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson on Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Gould visited on Mother's Day in Bradford with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Church, Mrs. Gould's parents.

—Dr. Irene McGuillcuddy and Miss Gwen McGuillcuddy, Toronto, were guests last week of Mrs. Lelia Rolph.

—Miss Emma Lunney, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lunney.

—Mrs. W. E. Lyons returned home on Saturday after spending the past three months at Largo, Florida.

—Miss Frances Miller, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor, Oakville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miller over the weekend.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Rollings, Margaret Ann and Nancy were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sheppard.

—Mrs. W. A. Hart is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Pearcey Thomas, Creemore.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Findlay and sons, Port Credit, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGeachie, Toronto, spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Carter spent the weekend in Orillia, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Snodden.

—D. F. Miller, Toronto, visited his brother, R. F. Miller, and Mrs. Miller on Tuesday.

—Marylin Covert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Covert, Bradford, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Gould.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holliday and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Baron and daughter, Jean, Toronto, called last week on their aunt, Miss Francis Brown.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ferguson, Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cole, Aurora, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Pinder and Donald, Sharon, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lunney over the weekend.

—Mrs. W. R. Ashenbush and daughter, Mrs. Doug Beckett, left for Atlanta, Ga., by plane on Wednesday and will visit Mrs. D. E. Bagshaw.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sedore, Keswick, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rye.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Robertson and little son Brian; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and family, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. R. W. Jones.

—Mrs. A. Ward and daughter, Whitby, niece of Mrs. B. W. Jones, and Mrs. Ward, of Davis Drive, called on Mrs. Jones on Sunday.

MISSIONARY CIRCLE
The Women's Missionary Circle, Christian Baptist church, Newmarket, will meet for the regular monthly meeting on Thursday, May 22, 2.30 p.m. in the Sunday school room. Mrs. Robert Morrison will present the topic, "Baptist Missions". All ladies are welcome.

New H. and S. Ass'n. Council

Mrs. C. R. Blackstock, Newmarket, was elected a vice-president of the newly formed York-Simcoe Home and School council at the organization meeting in Lansing on Wednesday, May 7. This was the first of a series of meetings which will see the division of the former York County Home and School association into five units.

"It's just like seeing the members of your family grow up and leave home," said Mrs. P. A. McClelland, president of York council. These five smaller units will be more workable and lead to greater efficiency and convenience.

"And we who have been so close to the work for so long view this break with the same mixed feelings as would parents under similar circumstances—glad to see the family doing well for themselves, sorry to see them go," said the head of York family who has been with the council for 10 years, the last two as president.

York council has had a phenomenal growth in both associations and membership since its formation in 1930. Then it had the nucleus of seven associations. Today there are 117 associations with a membership of about 20,000, of whom about one-third are men. It has seven secondary school associations.

Rapid expansion of Greater Toronto, which has brought families out from the city into the suburbs so fast that local school boards could not keep up with building programs is the chief reason for this growth. And to keep pace with the need for future expansion is the reason it has broken up into the five smaller units.

Prior to the division, York council extended over an area bounded by Holland Landing, Markham, Dunbarton and Long Branch. As it was, York council was unwieldy. It was unfair to ask members to come such distances to meetings. This way, councils will be able to give associations within each area more direct help.

NURSES ASSOCIATION

The York County Nurses' association will hold their next gathering in the form of a dinner meeting. It is planned for the first Tuesday in June and will be held at the Ridge Inn. As reservations must be made early any nurses in the district wishing to attend are requested to contact Miss Bertha Tunney for tickets.

Ray Holbrooke.
Mrs. J. D. Taylor, Hamilton, provincial Home and School federation president, was the speaker. She gave a talk on Home and School work. Mrs. Taylor was accompanied by Mrs. McCalley, a member of the Hamilton board of education and an active Home and School worker. Mrs. H. Le-Masurier was elected president of this most northerly section of the old York council. It extends from Steele's Corners to Holland Landing.
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THE Calvert SPORTS COLUMN

by Elmer Ferguson

Hockey has faded now into that past which envelopes sports events so rapidly, as seasons overlap, with hockey intruding on football, baseball pushing its way in on hockey. The cheering is a distant echo, the caps have been won and lost, individual feats are entered in the records.

There's an award for almost every individual performance in the major hockey of today, a great many too in the lesser leagues, which is the way it should be. When athletes can rise above the level, and soar to greatness by their own skill and courage and spirit, it's only fair and just that this should be recognized in some tangible fashion.

Unfortunately for one player in the National Hockey League, who did all this, plus, there is no award for a courageous come-back, not even a special notation in the records, which are coldly mathematical, and don't delve into the human side. Yet, if any player deserved some recognition that would entitle him to special notation, special award, that player who should have been worthy in large and generous measure of such recognition would have been Winnipeg's Samuel James "Sugar Jim" Henry, goater of the Boston Bruins, who survived the buffeting of Fate, survived a fire that scarred his hands and arms, and returned to stardom.

Hockey developed some great figures the past season, but we doubt if any of these is so compelling, so fraught with the rugged romance of sport as the return of Henry to the Big Time. This is pure Hollywood, throughout the piece. A high-voltage script-writer could pen no more gripping drama.

Jim Henry first won a spot in the major league with New York Rangers, in 1941. But his stay there was short, for at the end of his first season, he enlisted in the Army to serve in World War II, remained there until the end of the fighting. Then he returned to hockey, played briefly with Rangers, after which his sports pathway was a dizzy zig-zag lane that seemed to be leading nowhere. Twice he came up to Rangers, alternating with minor league chores. Then to Chicago in the Big Time, then suddenly back to the minors, for three seasons.

This isn't offered as a history of Henry's hockey meanderings. We merely paint it in for background, to prove that, despite vicissitudes, real courage doesn't weaken. Three years in the minors was bad enough, but the worst came in the summer of 1951. A flash fire suddenly enmeshed Henry at a summer resort camp, he was badly burned about the hands and arms. That, you might think, would spell the end of a career in hockey, where hands with speed and certainty are, for goalies, almost as essential as lightning reflexes.

But Henry didn't give up. He reported to the Detroit camp of the Red Wings, for he had played the previous season for Indianapolis, a Detroit farm team. But Indianapolis already had a good goater, young Hall, so the chances for Henry with his burned hands remaining even in minor hockey looked slim.

But Boston Bruins of the National League needed a goater. They tried to buy Hall but, against their own judgment, were talked into purchasing Sugar Jim Henry, for a moderate sum. The club started poorly. Boston didn't win a game in its first ten. Henry's job seemed shaky. Then, the team improved, but near the end, seemed to have little chance to make the play-offs for the Stanley Cup. But near the end of the race, Bruins started to roll. They won or tied all but two of their last 12. And the star, the steady influence that back-grounded the drive - that carried them into the finals? Why, none other than Sugar Jim Henry, with his unshaken courage.

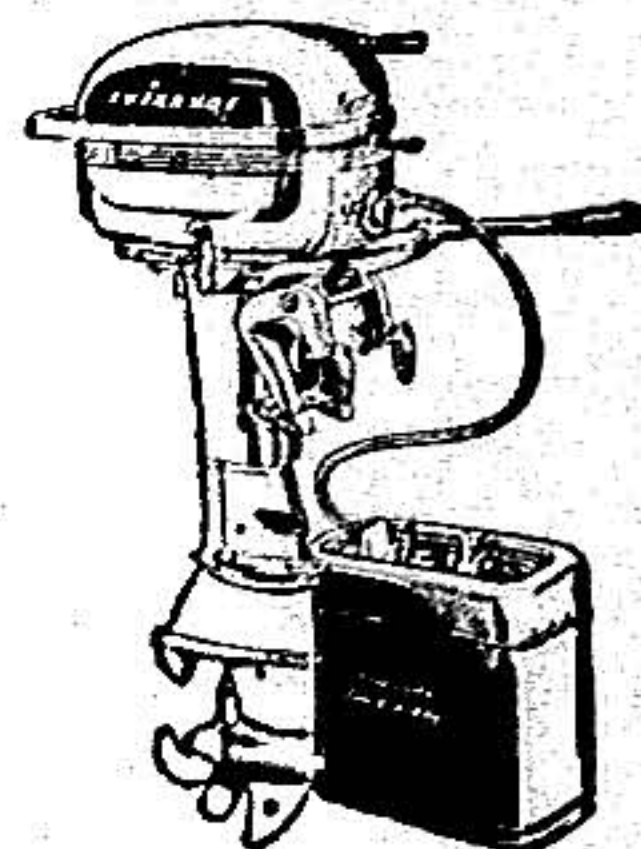
There's no prize for come-backs, for those who survive the bludgeoning of fate with head unbowed. If there was, Sugar Jim Henry would be one of the candidates.

Your comments and suggestions for this column will be welcomed by Elmer Ferguson, c/o Calvert House, 431 Yonge St., Toronto.

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MOUNT PLEASANT

The rain early in the week was what all the farmers were very thankful for as most seeding is finished.

Our sympathy goes out to Mr. Wm. Hamilton and family in the loss of a wife and mother.

Dr. Berry of Grimsby and a former minister at Sutton and Mount Pleasant had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson and attended Mt. Pleasant church in the afternoon, also meeting many of his old friends.

Bible study at Mr. Alex Hopkins' home last week was well attended.

A week ago Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson got a surprise visit from their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kellington, of Estavan, Sask. They also called on other relatives.

Mrs. Selby Barker of Aurora also visited Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson the same weekend. The Women's Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Percy Brown on Tuesday, May 20, at 2.30 p. m.

Bible study at Mr. Bernard Davidson's home this week had quite a number present.

Most farmers had visitors on Mother's Day.

TEMPERANCEVILLE

On Sunday, May 11, a Mother's Day service was conducted by the Sunday school superintendent, Mrs. Wilbert Jennings. It was very gratifying to have so many families attend. Miss Florie Beynon and Mrs. Burton Palmer read appropriate stories. The junior girls, consisting of Misses Elsie Anderson, M. Morris, Donna Jennings, Patsy Macklin and Clara Herrima, sang. Miss Joan Hare read a poem and Sharon Palmer sang. The guest speaker for the afternoon was Mrs. Ernest Moddle, whose wonderful words of inspiration to the parents and children will long be remembered. A lovely bouquet of spring flowers was presented to Mrs. Moddle for her work with the junior congregation on Sunday evenings and for this wonderful address by Miss Donna Dixon. Miss Isabel Morrison read the words of presentation.

JR. AUXILIARY

The Junior Evening Auxiliary, W.M.S. Trinity United church, Newmarket, will meet at the home of Mrs. Ernest Hill, 11 Lorne Ave., on Tuesday, May 20, 8 p.m. All members are reminded to bring articles for the "Buy and Sell" sale. A cordial invitation is extended to all junior ladies of the congregation to attend.

GUIDE COOKIE DAY

Saturday, May 17, is cookie day for the guides and brownies of Newmarket. Any homemakers who were missed when the girls conducted their house-to-house canvass to order cookies are requested to phone Mrs. Thompson, 1130-R or Mrs. Wass, 362W before Saturday. Money raised through the sale of these cookies in the Guide trefoil design is used for the Newmarket girls in guides and brownies. They number about 100.

York Festival Winners

Prize winners in the schools where music is taught by Mrs. A. Cowieson at the Music Festival at Woodbridge last week are:

Choir, grades 1 and 2, 1st, Jersey public school, shield; 2nd, Keswick public school. S.A.T. rural school chorus, 1st, Mt. Zion school, S. S. No. 10, East Gwill shield. Piano solo, under 13, 1st, Mona Burrows, Sutton, gold medal; 3rd, Marvin Clarke, Jersey.

Piano solo under 15, 1st, Marie Crittenden, Base Line, gold medal.

Public school triple trio, 1st, Keswick public school, shield; Gail Pollock*, Beryl Walsh*, Phyllis Draper*, Gail Wright, Norma King*, Beverley Peters, Ruth Martin*, Audrey Walsh, Carol Boothby*, 3rd, Jersey public school, Carol Brown*, Lois Sedore*, Bertha Sedore*, Marjorie Page, Doreen Graham, Hilda Petchey, Marlene Matthews*, Marie* and Marlene Ianuziolo*.

Public school triple duet, 2nd, Keswick *public school (see names), 3rd, Jersey public school.

School triple duet, (4 rooms or less), 2nd, Base Line school, Bruce Pollock, Cynthia Magee, Jane Chapman, Marlene Menar, Rita Jacobs, Shirley Anne Fairbairn; 3rd, Roche's Point, Joan Link, Hanne Nielsen, Audrey Nielsen, Lillian Upton, Margaret Alder, Joan Kelley.

Choir, grades 7 and 8, 1st, Jersey public school, shield. Choir, grades 3 and 4, 1st, Jersey public school, shield; 2nd, Keswick public school. Choir, grades 5 and 6, 2nd, Jersey public school; 3rd, Keswick public school.

Rural school chorus, two rooms, 3rd, Roche's Point school.

Rural school chorus, one room, 2nd, S. S. No. 9, East Gwill, Ravenshoe. Rural school (enrollment under 25), 2nd, S. S. No. 2, East Gwill, Queensville.

CLUBS OBSERVE B. AND P. WEEK

Business Women's Week is being celebrated by the Newmarket Business and Professional Women's club with all B. and P. clubs throughout Canada May 19 to 24. The slogan for Business Women's Week is "Keeping Pace With Canada".

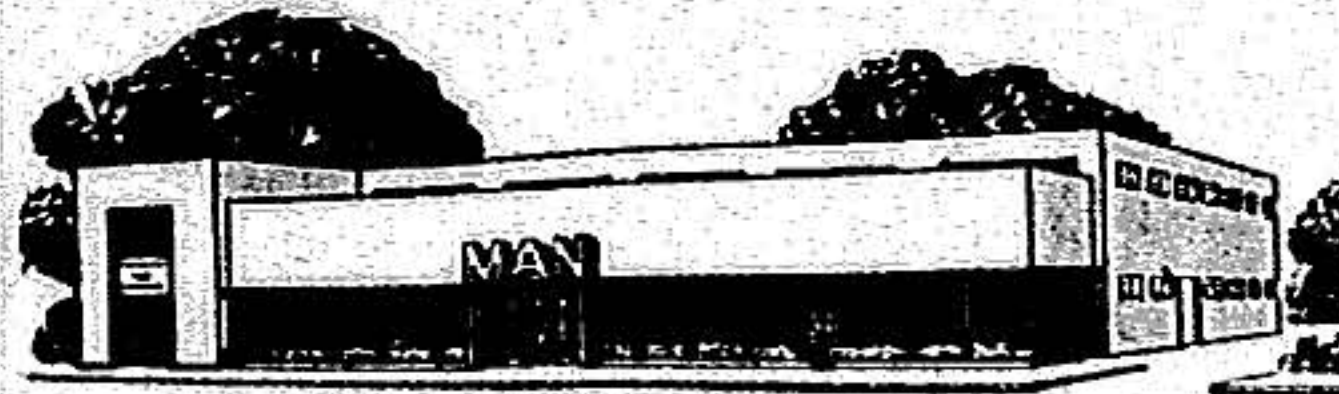
The Newmarket club has a membership of over 40 women and has been active in valuable service work in Newmarket.

There are 68 Business and Professional Women's clubs in Ontario with a total membership of over 3,000. Each member of each club is also a member of the Canadian Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs represented in every province with a membership of over 6,000.

Business Women's Week was first celebrated in the United States in 1928. When Ontario Business and Professional Women's clubs decided to hold a Business Women's Week, they had an idea that a function could be served; with the growing influence of women in political and economic life, B. and P. clubs everywhere are doing what they can to inform their members of the issues of the day, locally, provincially and federally, and with an eye on the international scene.

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Social News

On Sunday, May 11, the cadets annual church parade was held. Rev. Roland Hill, Toronto, who was a former high school student of this town, addressed the boys. The boys also attended the Youth of the Empire parade in Toronto on Sunday evening.

Miss Emily Teasdale, Vancouver, B.C., is spending three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Teasdale.

Miss Evelyn Taylor has returned home after spending a week with Mrs. C. Hickson.

Mr. Cecil Atkinson, Saskatchewan, is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Atkinson.

TO MAKE BICYCLES SAFER AT NIGHT

Scotchlite tape for the bicycles of elementary school children in Newmarket has been left at the schools this week. Youngsters are reminded to bring their bicycles to the school they attend if they need this safety tape. All receiving the tape are requested to pay 25 cents per bicycle.

This Scotchlite tape is a safety feature instigated in Newmarket by the Home and School association last year. A reflector-type material, the tape clearly marks bicycles so that at dusk or at other times the bikes are more readily visible to motorists. The application of the safety tape to the bicycles was accompanied by a visit to the schools of Chief Burdidge who spoke on safety practices on the street and at home.

PLAN TRIP TO SEE NIAGARA GARDENS

A trip to the Niagara Falls Parks' school for nurserymen and horticulturalists has been proposed for the members of the Newmarket Horticultural Society. At the school can be seen the species of flowers, shrubs, hedges and trees which are hardy to our climate. A conducted tour of the greenhouses, grounds and school could be arranged if enough of the local members were interested.

From this school graduate the specialists in the field of horticulture and visits from provincial societies are welcome. Anyone interested in such a trip is requested to contact the Newmarket society's president, Mrs. Nelson Ion—993.

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VISITORS WELCOME

Visitors are welcome at the John Stallard Memorial shelter operated by the North York Humane Society on week days from 4 to 6 p.m. and on Sunday from 3 to 5 p.m. The shelter is located on the old slaughter grounds, Main St. North. There are pets available for adoption from the shelter.

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SPORTS CALENDAR
 May 15, 8 p.m., Sharon Hall, Lake Simcoe, softball league meeting, players' lists; 8 p.m., Peel-York softball league openers, King at Woodbridge, Bolton vs Nobleton, Kettleby vs Humber Summit, Pottageville vs Schomberg; 7 p.m., S. S. diamond, senior ladies softball team practice;
 May 16, 6:30 p.m., fair grounds, intermediate baseball practice; 7 p.m., S. S. diamond, junior ladies practice;
 May 19, 7:15 p.m., fair grounds, town league double-header; 7 p.m., North York bantam baseball league, Aurora at Sutton; 7 p.m., North York midjet baseball league, Wilcox Lake at Richmond Hill;
 May 20, 7 p.m., North York minor baseball league, bantam, Richmond Hill vs Mount Albert; 7 p.m., Peel-York softball league, Woodbridge vs King; Humber Summit vs Bolton; Schomberg vs Kettleby;
 May 21, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., high school and Pickering College track, Newmarket high school field day; 7 p.m., Aurora park, North York minor baseball league, bantam, Sutton vs Aurora; 7:15 p.m., fair grounds, Newmarket town league double-header.

Optimists At Work
 Newmarket Optimists, who sponsored pee-wee and bantam baseball teams last season, will continue their sponsorship of the two teams this summer, reports Don Warner, boys' work chairman. Frank Hollingsworth, who guided the pee-wee team through to the Ontario finals, will coach both teams again this season. The initial bantam practice was held Friday night at Stuart Scott diamond with 35 reporting. Saturday morning, 60 turned up for the pee-wee practice. Further practices are due this week.
 Optimist bantams have been grouped with Richmond Hill, Lake Wilcox, Aurora, Mount Albert and Sutton in the newly organized North York Minor Baseball League. On completion of the league, they'll go on into the O.B.A. playdowns. Local pee-wees will seek exhibition games with Aurora and Sutton previous to O.B.A. entry.
 At the Optimists Club annual meeting last week, Ken Stephens was named boys' work chairman. Ken will work along with Don Warner until July 1, when he assumes full responsibility.

Five Teams in Sr. Ladies
 The Barrie and District ladies softball league will have five teams again this season, it was learned at the schedule maker's meeting Tuesday in Barrie. Newmarket, Midland, Barrie, and Stayner will return. Orillia has dropped out of the race. Orillia's place will be taken by the Royal Canadian Air Force, Women's Division, Camp Borden.
 The league is scheduled to open week of May 26, reports Newmarket coach Charlie VanZant. The local ladies will stage their home opener Thursday, May 29. Visiting opposition should be known next week.

LAKE JR. LADIES' LEAGUE
 Seven teams, Mount Albert, Belhaven, Sutton, Keswick, Newmarket, Aurora and Queensville will make up the Lake Simcoe Junior Ladies' League roster for the 1952 season. Aurora and Queensville were accepted for league membership at the annual meeting in Keswick Tuesday. Stan, Beechner of Sutton is president and Beverly Heaton of Keswick secretary-treasurer. Team delegates will meet again Tuesday, May 20, in Keswick at 8 p.m. Each team must present a players' list for inspection on that date.

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 Pitching and pitchers, to be quite truthful, did not steal the show as the town league teams kicked the door ajar on their initial twin-bill of the season Wednesday. Pitchers in fact were knee deep in aspirin before the lights went out.
 There was one exception, Bill VanZant. Toeing the rubber for Hoffman's, Bill proceeded to whistle the apple by Sports-Cycle Shoppers in mid-season form. Two hits was all the tamed Cycle whiz-kids could turn in to the scorer all night. Cycle did speed the bases for four runs but not a one of these runs was earned.
 You can readily see Bill VanZant's chucking was a feature and for his two-hit effort, we're naming him Roxy Theatre pass and Hashman award winner for this week.

Haskett's
HASH
 BY GEORGE HASKETT
 Newmarket Sports Editor

Need some help from you this week. What can we do about 100 boys? That's the number of small fry, give and take one or two either way, wishing to play baseball this summer. How do we arrive at this figure? Thirty-five were out to bantam practice Friday and an amazing 60 Saturday morning for pee-wee.
 Give them all a chance? Thank you, that's exactly how this paragraph feels about it. Course you know it's going to cost money for equipment, etc., but we'll all fork over dough for sidewalks, roads, bridges, etc., so why not for the kids.
 The Hub, we'll stand corrected if anyone can prove otherwise, spends less than any town of comparable size in the country seeing the kids are kept busy and out of mischief. Except for the work of our eager-beaver Optimist Clubbers over the past couple of ball and hockey seasons, minor sports would have gone to pot locally.
 Optimists will be back in pitching with two teams—that handles 30 boys—leaving 70 boys with no baseball. Answer is a town league and if we intend to keep those 70 busy we will have to appoint a summer recreation director. Don't have to look beyond the town limits for one. There's a chap right in our midst who can handle it. Man we have in mind is Frank Hollingsworth. Frank has a knack of getting the boys to do things and his coaching record with the pee-wees—they reached the Ontario finals under the Optimists banner—speaks for itself.
 Now, you'll ask who should take the initiative in appointing a recreation director? The answer is the Recreation Commission. This paragraph was invited to Commission gathering Tuesday. Arrived at 7:30—three members present—fourth arrived a little late—unavoidably delayed—so your scribble didn't have its inlinings to explain its cracks about the Commission lately. So we'll just note our observations and gleanings picked up along the sport beat.
 Have been making enquiries on the subject past few weeks—here's some of answers received from various sportsmen—and we think they speak for themselves: What Recreation Commission? Is there one? Didn't know we had one! Thought they were dead and buried! What do they do?
 Checking the town financial statement, Commission in 1951 received \$900 from the town and \$261 from the provincial government. This is wholly inadequate to pay a recreation director and possibly answers the above questions.
 As to what the Commission could do, off hand we can think of four places aid is needed: the intermediate baseball, could stand financial assistance; ditto junior ladies; midjet baseball requires organizing and financial help; and the soccerists, trying to get rolling, wouldn't turn up their nose at some help.

Minors Open Next Week
 Everything points to a busy season in North York minor baseball. The six-team bantam and three-team midjet North York Minor Baseball League season will open next week.
 Mount Albert, Sutton and Aurora drew home openers in bantam. Bill Mundell's Aurora Cubs will visit Sutton May 19 to get the Green Sox season underway. Sutton will play in Aurora Wednesday, May 21. Mount Albert will be at home to Richmond Hill May 20.
 In the only midjet game carded for next week, Lake Wilcox will journey to Richmond Hill May 19 to get the Hillers officially started. Newmarket fans will have to wait until May 29 to see the Optimists make their initial home stand against Lake Wilcox.

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	AB	H	%
F. Dillman (Hoff)	1	1	100
D. Burch (Spec)	1	1	100
D. Hamon (T-B)	3	2	666
J. McTavish (T-B)	3	2	666
A. Dobbie (Spts)	3	2	666
R. Eves (Hoff)	3	2	666
B. Townsley (Hoff)	5	3	600
L. Thoms (Hoff)	4	2	500
G. Blight (Hoff)	2	1	500
H. Andrews (Hoff)	2	1	500
H. Mays (T-B)	2	1	500
B. Cook (Spec)	4	2	500
W. Elsbey (Spec)	4	2	500

DOWN THE CENTRE BY AB HULSE
Soccer Effort Recalls Memories
 From the past tense: The revival of soccer in Newmarket is to be commended although it is around 25 years since there was a town team, with the exception of Newmarket Camp eleven. Probably the greatest club the town ever had, according to all reports, was that of fifty-nine years ago. They won district honors.
 Here's the team roster and you'll recognize many family names: Jack Smith, Alex McClelland, Charlie Flood, Norm Rogers, Sam Gibeby, Ivan Clarke, Ed Irwin, J. E. Dickson, Walter Cain, Tom Doyle, Charlie Montgomery, A. A. Hollingshead, Walter Rolling, Joe Clarke, and D. A. McCrimmon. The late Walter Rolling of King, who was a school master, was probably the greatest soccer player to ever play in the district and he could hold his own in international company.
 It wouldn't be too hard to re-organize soccer on a district basis. There's plenty of material at Aurora, Maple and King, and Bradford are going already. A steady influx of Old Country folk adds to the possibility. There's another challenge for fellows like

Mr. A. Legion At Work
 Mount Albert has tossed its hat in the baseball ring. The Mount Albert branch of the Canadian Legion are sponsoring a bantam baseball team. The newly organized club has been entered in the North York minor baseball league.
 Opposition for the Mountie bantams will be provided by Newmarket, Sutton, Lake Wilcox, Aurora and Richmond Hill. Kelly Case, Morley Case, Gregg Scott and Art Westgarth are Legion appointees to get the team started.
 As yet, no coach or manager have been appointed but this necessary business will be concluded this week. To date, one practice has been held with 18 boys reporting for a try-out. Further practice sessions are due this week in preparation for the Mounties' home opener against Richmond Hill May 20.
 Legion sponsors are happy about the turn-out and the interest being shown in the team. Good fan support will make it a success, they report.

Split Simcoe Loop
 South Simcoe baseball league delegates, meeting last Thursday at Beeton, revised their plans for the 1952 season. In a move designed to slice travelling, time and overhead, delegates voted to split the 12-team group into a north and south section of six teams each.
 Newmarket's new entry will be grouped with Bradford, Beeton, Alliston, Everett Maple Leafs and Palgrave in the southern division.
 Six north division teams are Ivy, Stroud, Barrie, Thornton, New Lovell and Everett Athletics. Southern section teams will play a double home and home schedule.
 Top four teams in each division will qualify for the semi-finals. Winners in each division will meet in a best four out of seven series for the league title and the Davis Memorial Trophy.
 League schedule is being set up at the present time with the opener scheduled for the week of May 19. Newmarket have requested Friday night for their home games.

PLAY-OFFS OR BUST
 Vandroft softballers have just missed the Lake Simcoe Softball League play-offs by a whisker past two seasons. They'll be back trying again this season with one idea: "make the play-offs or bust." The team held its first practice last week with fairly good turn-out, several new prospects. Doug Alcorn is coach, pitcher Harold Botham manager and Ivan Pattenden secretary-treasurer at a recent meeting. Further practices are planned for this week.

Brownhill Unbeaten Still
 Smashing a bushel of hits and runs in every innings, Murray Edgar's Mount Zion Ramblers doused Queensville 17-6 last Friday to record their first win of the East Gwillimbury School League season. Mount Albert hit for their second win, dumping Hope-Union 13. Combines 13-8. Brown Hill continued their unbeaten pace after the league as they knocked off Sharon 17-8. It was Brown Hill's third win in as many attempts.
 A full list of games are scheduled for attention Friday afternoon.

LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L	Pts
Brown Hill	3	0	6
Mount Albert	2	1	4
Mount Zion	1	2	2
Sharon	1	2	2
Hope	1	2	2
Queensville	1	2	2

QUEENSVILLE LADIES
 Queensville is planning to have a junior ladies' softball team this season. Their entry was accepted by the Lake Simcoe Junior Ladies' League at the annual meeting Tuesday. Wilbur Beckett is heading the drive to organize the team and is slated to look after the coaching.

Four-Team School League
 Frame work for a four-team public school pee-wee baseball league was set up this week. Four teams are Leafs, Royals, Chiefs and Cubs. Double-headers will be played each Saturday morning. First game of the double header will start at 9:45 a.m., second game at 11 a.m.
 Best players from the four teams will be chosen to represent Newmarket in the O.B.A. pee-wee playdowns. Every player will have an equal chance to make the O.B.A. representative team.
 Schedule is: May 17, Leafs vs Royals, Chiefs vs Cubs; May 24, Leafs vs Cubs, Royals vs Chiefs; May 31, Royals vs Cubs, Chiefs vs Leafs; June 7, Cubs vs Chiefs, Royals vs Leafs; June 14, Chiefs vs Royals, Cubs vs Leafs; June 21, Leafs vs Chiefs, Cubs vs Royals.
 First team mentioned is the visiting team and will bat first. Games will be 5 innings at least and seven if possible.

Team rosters are:
 Leafs: How, Brice, Jack Gunn, Alb. Breckon, Brian Orton, Bob Byers, Len Abbott, Jim Lake, Brent MacNab, Dave McComb, Bill Daly, Ralph Bray, Paul Brammer, Don Bone.
 Royals: Gary Campbell, John McKnight, John Lake, Jim Bond, Ralph Emmerson, John Guillems, Tony Brookes, Dennis Edwards, Reg. Peterson, Ian Dick, Bill McComb, Jim McArthur, Gord Vaughan, Wayne Crouch.
 Chiefs: Bill Bellar, Ron Wrightman, Paul Blair, Barton Sedore, Peter Vale, Jim Tunney, Dave Townsley, Francis Garrett, Barry Emmerson, Jack West, Bob Kefter, Larry Morton, Don Cook, Larry Bone.
 Cubs: Ernie Hartling, Geo. Robertson, Jim Garrett, Jack Little, Terry Budd, Dave Rhodes, Norm Darrach, Bill Mills, John Lockhart, Bruce Skelhorn, Larry Kefter, Ed Thornton, Tom Maukonen, Francis Lewis.

ON THE ALLEYS
 The bowling season is drawing to a close. Two feature attractions last week kept a number of bowlers going strong. First on the agenda was the play-off session for the Monday Night Ladies' League title. The sudden-death fixture was required as Four-Fifties came on with a late rush to tie the Coons on the final night of league action. Monday's saw-off was a triumph for Four-Fifties as they went to town in a big way to pile up a 3002 count as against 2866 recorded by the Coons.
 Alice Gibson came up with a nifty 587 (164-147-276) to lead. Floss Gibson 581, Jeanne Gatti 553, Audrey Stevens 554, Ethel Warden 500. Four-Fifties' winning sextette were Audrey Stevens, Edna McGrath, Lill Watt, Floss Gibson, Muriel Gunn and Ethel Warden. The gals turn to the knife and fork league this week in Toronto to officially close their season.

Four Teams in Gals' Loop
 Four teams, Schomberg, Kettleby, Bradford and Beeton, have entered the York-Simcoe ladies' softball league race. League organization meeting was held at Elgin Hastings' residence Schomberg, last Thursday. Hastings was returned as president and Ray Rogers, Kettleby's busy softball promoter, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.
 Delegates voted to purchase a pennant and that, along with the York-Simcoe Trophy, will give the teams added incentive to get out and win. League schedule opens May 22 with Bradford at Beeton. May 23, Schomberg, defending champions, will play in Kettleby.

Dempsey Coming
 Wrestling returns May 24 to the Newmarket Memorial Arena. Opening card promises to be something of a mat classic. Hold steady now while we give you the good news. First, and this is a first for Newmarket, Jack Dempsey, ex-heavyweight boxing champion of the world, will be on hand. Dempsey will referee the main bout.
 The main bout is Yukon Eric, the North Country's strongman, meeting Jim "The Bull" Wright, the Montana hills wild man. The main bout will be the best two out of three falls. A high quality supporting card of two other bouts is being lined up.
 In last week's report of wrestling nights, June 14 was mentioned. It should have read June 21.

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Uxbridge Voters Say "No" Good Show For Dog Owners Powerful Movie At Royal

The Citizens' Association (We Vote "No"), which is working for the cause of keeping liquor and beer outlets out of Aurora, has good reasons for feeling well pleased with the news from Uxbridge, where a "No" vote has been declared. This is in line with the recent "No" vote at Dundalk.

This is a democratic country where each citizen has a right to his and her opinion and where the rule of the majority prevails.

Thus we are entitled to our own opinion, which we made very clear at the outset of the campaign by the Liquor and Beer committee; and since the Citizens' Association (We Vote "No") came into being on April 6 we have felt that a constant repetition of our views was unnecessary.

Loud Noises Under Cover!

There has been one exception to an otherwise clean campaign, and that from a source where decent procedure should normally be expected. The Aurora Banner has tried to "stir up the dirt" by printing suggestions that our opposition to the outlets derives from a wish to benefit Newmarket at the expense of Aurora.

While we are sure that we are well enough known to the citizens of Aurora to find it unnecessary to defend ourselves against such an odious untruth, the fact that such "dirt" can be imported on to the editorial page of what is called the "home-town paper" reveals the depths to which certain mental types can descend.

The citizens of Aurora have been reading our writings for nearly three years, and they have seen what our attitude has been on many local questions. They are hardly likely to place much value on the loud noises of a newcomer who does not himself take a positive stand.

Meanwhile the Liquor and Beer committee has engaged a portion of the town hall for a period of three weeks for the purpose of their campaign for the outlets.

District Kennel Club

We have received from Mr. A. R. Sacre, honorary secretary of the Aurora District Kennel Club Inc., some interesting data in connection with the club and the all-breed International Dog Show which is to be held at the Aurora Armories on Saturday, May 17.

The club was founded in 1951 by a few enthusiastic dog owners and breeders in the district, its objects being to promote a general interest in purebred dogs and, if possible, in some small way to assist financially in furthering any worthy local project. That is what Mr. Sacre tells us and the success enjoyed by the club last year bears testimony to the information given us.

For example, out of the proceeds of last year's show the club was able to send a cheque for nearly \$100 to the Aurora Lions club. Fifty percent of whatever profits are realized this year will be handed over to the York Rangers stationed at Aurora, to be used for the Other Tanks' mess fund.

The Kennel club is a non-profit undertaking and no member of it can derive any financial benefit from its activities, as directed by the club's charter.

Entries are excellent this year, Mr. Sacre informs us, amount-

ing to 300 to 350 and will range in type from the Chihuahua to the Great Dane. Included in the entries are an Irish Wolfhound and a Bloodhound, and a great variety of sporting dogs, toys, terriers, etc., etc.

The judges this year will be columns, the show will start at both from the United States. As indicated in our Coming Events columns, the show will start at 10 a.m. and continue throughout the day, Saturday, May 17, until 9 p.m. We hope the weather will be good and the show enjoy another great success.

"Come Fill The Cup"

We have not been writing about the Royal theatre for some time. In fact for more than a week we have been writing very little about anything in consequence of being tied up at home with a severe chill and its aftermath. We are somewhat slowly pulling ourselves together again and making contacts with a world which we have been grudgingly separated from. It is good to see familiar faces again.

During the past few weeks the reputation of the Royal theatre has maintained the standard Mr. Clifford Griffiths has given it for fine showings, and on Wednesday, May 21, a remarkable movie is being presented under the title, "Come, Fill the Cup."

James Cagney will play the star role in a motion picture which has been acclaimed as one of the all-time high achievements in screen history. It is described as Cagney's greatest triumph and co-starring with him is Phyllis Thaxter.

From what we have heard of this movie to be shown on Wednesday, May 21, we can recommend our adult readers to see a powerfully realistic portrayal of moral decline and eventual regeneration. It should be noted that this is a movie strictly for adults only.

Parks Board

The question of bulldozing that portion of McMahon park immediately north of the Lawn Bowling club's premises was introduced at the last meeting of the Recreation commission, when a request from the Parks Board that the commission would undertake the job came before it.

The commission rejected the request, claiming the matter was one for the town council. The point was made, however, that the number of children using the park was not sufficient to justify the expense, and we agree that that is so. We consider it will be a great pity, and a waste of money, if the Parks Board bulldozes what is essentially a green belt.

We heard an even more fantastic story to the effect that the board proposed to bulldoze and level the strip of land south of the bowling greens, for the purpose of laying out a parking space. A year or two ago there was a large number of fine shrubs growing there, but the council of that time let the weeds grow so tall that when municipal employees were sent to clean it up they couldn't see the shrubs for the overgrowth and cut down the whole works.

When the deed was done the council promptly blamed the workmen for the massacre of the shrubs instead of taking the blame for their own neglect.

There are very few children using the area and when the months of July and August come along the place is deserted. All the Parks Board need to do is to keep the grass cut at the north and south points of the bowling greens, and to seed and tidy up the fine space south of the tennis courts. The practice has been to let the weeds in all their manifold variety grow to flowering point and then cut them down and leave them where they fell.

This portion of McMahon park south of the tennis courts makes an ideal parking spot for visiting bowlers, and if some seeding were done, the grass kept short and the place kept tidy, no more is needed.

Lawn Bowling Begins
Some members of the Aurora lawn bowling club were in action as early as the last two weeks in April, a record we are told. Frank Bray of Oshawa has been appointed caretaker and the greens are looking good.

Salute from Keswick
We knew we had some readers at Keswick and one of them, Mr. H. M. Marshall, representative for the Fuller Brush company, came in and handed us a year's subscription the other day. He said he liked the "frank opinions" in the Era and Express and Aurora News Page. His valued subscription gave concrete proof of the kind things he said.

Aurora News Page

J. G. SINCLAIR, Editor

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THURSDAY, THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF MAY, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-TWO

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EDITORIALS

DOING IT FOR NOTHING!

One argument we have heard is that men who serve on public bodies, and do so without payment, should not be subject to criticism. "We're doing it for nothing," they protest, "so why should we expect to be criticized?" It is a plausible argument that won't stand up to examination.

Take a town council representative, for example. Nobody would say that a member of council who receives \$5 a night for his services is being overpaid, with sessions lasting for four hours and occasionally longer. In the Old Country, by the way, members of councils never received one penny of payment. There, service on a council was purely voluntary, and a man was proud to serve his community, often with plenty of press criticism thrown in for good measure.

A man who decides to offer his services to his community, say as a member of a town council, is asking the electors for a vote of confidence in his ability to serve them. A number of motives may inspire his action. One of them may be self-glory, or the satisfaction of the ego. In these instances criticism will always be resented, for the reason that it robs the recipient of some of his self-assurance, his conceit in his self-importance. That is a salutary process!

Another man wants to get onto council in order to benefit his community, i.e., better roads and sidewalks; better assessments and lower taxes; improved building regulations and their impartial enforcement; and, above all, the promotion of an ever-increasing public interest in all matters that come before council. He is the better type of public representative who welcomes rather than resents criticism.

No man in public life can ever claim that he gets nothing out of it. In the end, however, he will only get out of it what he puts into it. If it amounts to no more than a little self-glory, it could be that that is all he ever wanted in the first place.

"TWO-BIT MINDS"

As might be expected, the Aurora Banner defends the \$800 grant to the planning board. Those who oppose it have a "two-bit mind", proclaims the "home-town" organ of wisdom. On the vote of council that would include Councillors Davis, Jones and Murray, and, outside of council, ourselves and others. Mr. Jones is a member of the planning board and did not think the grant necessary and voted against it.

At the inaugural meeting of council on January 7, Councillor Tucker expressed surprise that town employees could make purchases without vouchers. He called for a system that would authorize purchases being made only by vouchers. But Councillor Tucker pressed for an \$800 grant to the planning board without even a hint on what the money was to be used. At least the town employee knew what he was going to buy even though he hadn't a voucher. The planning board was authorized to spend \$800 without saying what they were going to buy. Where is Councillor Tucker's consistency?

Before the election we heard a prominent candidate say that if he were elected he would never agree to the planning board having more than \$50, to cover postage and stationery. He was elected and was silent when the \$800 was passed. Where is the consistency? At least he didn't defend the \$800. He just stayed mum!

The planning board has already spent over \$5,000. It asked for a further unscheduled \$800 and got it. The Aurora Banner wouldn't hand over \$800 without knowing why. But taxpayers who ask questions have "two-bit minds". That's what the Banner says. But who believes the Banner?

PRINCIPLE VS EXPEDIENCY

The freedom of the press to report events and state opinions is basic to the democratic way of life. When that freedom is tampered with the rights of the people are challenged and their privileges endangered. A free press is the people's most powerful safeguard and when its functions are curtailed freedom itself is on the decline.

It is a first principle of a free press to be critical in the public interest. This fundamental essential was defended by one of Canada's foremost statesmen and greatest thinkers, John G. Diefenbaker. Mr. Diefenbaker stated it in these words: "When criticism ends," he said, "freedom dies".

There are all kinds of newspapers in Canada, as there are in the few remaining free countries of the world, and some of them are positive dangers to the very freedom they enjoy. They are dangerous because they are inept. Some are merely advertising sheets and offer no useful service as mediums of opinion to their communities. They are weekly testimonials to the mental impotence of their owners.

Others there are that thrive on an unscrupulous exploitation of the main chance. Professing a lofty concern for the unsuspecting community which, through no choice of its own, supports them, they are concerned only with what they can take out of it. Such papers are directed by mugwumps, and though the species is fortunately limited it can inflict great injury on a community's morale during such time as it enjoys its parasitic activities.

The only kind of free newspaper that matters is the one that will deal honestly by its readers, giving them the facts fully and frankly, even at the risk of losing a few dollars in the process. Actually such a risk is small, for the majority of readers will stand by and support a newspaper which they know is motivated by principle, not by expediency.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Harris Choirs And Pupils Win Outstanding Successes In Contests At Festival

Remarkable results were achieved at Peel County Music Festival by pupils of Mr. Illyd Harris and choir under his conductorship. So outstanding were the renditions of the Aurora United church junior and senior choirs that adjudicators described them as "glorious performances" in the winning of their respective classes.

Once again the Harris choir and pupils have brought many prizes home to Aurora. Outstanding was the winning of a vocal scholarship by Jean Barnes.

As the following list shows, there were a large number of winners in the gold, silver and bronze medalist classes. A performance of great merit was that of Dawna Case in a competition in a girls' class under 14, when she received the gold medal with a mark of 90.

Gold medalists: Margaret Barrager, girls under 15; Marilyn Allen, girls under 14; Dawna Case, girls under 13; Jean Barnes, girls under 11. Dawna Case and Marilyn Allen, gold medalists, girls' duet, under age 13.

Silver medalists: Hugh Gavannah, tenor, under 19; Janis Carter, contralto, under 19; Lorna Elmer, under 14; Lorna Elmer, girls under 13; Jean Barnes, girls under 12.

Bronze medalists: Mary

Stocks, contralto, under 19; Janis Carter, under 17; Patrick Green, boys under 13; Marilyn Allen, girls under 13; Margaret Barrager and Nancy Stocks, girls' duet, under age 15.

York Festival: Dawna Case, gold medalist, in class for girls under 14, with mark of 90. She was awarded a scholarship. Marilyn Allen received silver medal in the same class with a mark of 88. Nancy Stocks, gold medal, girls under 14; Jean Barnes, gold medal, girls under 11.

Silver medalists: Margaret Barrager, girls under 15; Lorna Elmer, girls under 13. Bronze medalists: Philippa Garstang, girls under 15; Marilyn Allen, girls under 14; Donna Yake, girls under 10.

Among the competing choirs, the Aurora junior church choir received the highest choral marks of 88 in the entire festival competitions.

Many tributes were expressed in regard to the outstanding performances of Mr. Harris' choir and pupils. One of the most eloquent of these tributes was contained in a comment by one of the adjudicators who said that "listening to the Aurora choir and vocalists provided one of those rare occasions when one just sat back and enjoyed himself."

The music festival was held in Brampton.

ARENA AFFAIRS

Misleading Banner Headline And Lack Of Full Report Does Disservice To Readers

A garbled account of what happened at the last meeting of the Recreation commission in last week's issue of the Aurora Banner omitted the material facts which Councillor Jim Murray brought to the attention of members, in his efforts to clarify essential matters obscured by what he fittingly described as a "smoke-screen".

Undependable as the Banner has become for accurate reporting, its account of what happened at the above meeting could not fail to induce readers to believe that Mr. Murray was defending himself, whereas the actual truth is that he was giving members associated with reports that had previously appeared in the Banner an opportunity to disassociate themselves from them.

This they did when the actual facts were made clear to them by Mr. Murray. But no reader could have derived this impression from what they read in last week's Banner.

Misleading Headline

The first blunder made by the Banner was in its headline which read: "Cr. Murray Attempts To Sell Idea Recreation Director Not Attacked." This headline emphasizes the suggestion that the Recreation director had been "attacked," whatever that might mean!

The truth is that references made to the Recreation director were concerned with the time taken up by his work for the commission and his major work at the rink. Councillor Murray was not alone in his comments made at council on the time so spent by the Arena manager, as the report of the council meeting would prove.

But the mayor and council agreed that there had been no criticism of the Arena manager in a personal way and to suggest otherwise is to cast an aspersion on a unanimous agreement.

But in fact there is no need at all further to discuss the Arena manager and Recreation director, whose projection into the discussion was a method of shifting criticism of the Arena board away from the limelight. It was not Mr. Perryment with whom Mr. Murray was directly concerned, but Mr. Underhill and old members of the Arena board, who brought upon themselves the charge of being "inactive" in rink affairs.

Let it be understood, once and for all, that Mr. Murray at no time has ever personally criticized the Arena manager; but when the Banner used the words, "Attacked," in its headline of last week it did a grave disservice both to the town and the people directly concerned. To broadcast the charge that someone has been "Attacked" suggests a possible serious situa-

Impressive Canadian Story Told At Hazelburn Farm

On Friday, in brilliant sunshine, at the lovely home of Mrs. Amelius Jarvis, Hazelburn farm, Yonge St. south, a large number of guests attended a Trend Tea, when the principal speaker was Mrs. Egmont Frankel of Toronto, president of the Toronto branch of the Canadian Cancer society and head of the women's services for Ontario.

Mrs. Frankel, who was introduced by Mrs. J. P. Crysdale, president of the Aurora unit, spoke for about half an hour. In her brilliant and impressive address, Mrs. Frankel traced the history of the movement in Canada for the discovery of cancer cases and the treatment of what she described as this "most insidious disease."

The speaker pointed out that there are now 75 organizations in Canada specifically concerned with cancer research and its treatment, nine of such centres being located in Ontario.

Compelling Facts
It was only three years ago, said Mrs. Frankel, that Trend Teas were initiated. At that time no more than 200 women were taking an active part in the movement, but today, in Toronto alone, that number had risen to the figure of 12,000.

Paying tribute to Mrs. Jarvis, Mrs. Frankel said she was "one

of those wonderful women who had opened their homes for this work." Their immediate objective was to get everyone interested in the subject of cancer and its symptoms, since no one at any age could feel immune from its possible dangers.

Mrs. Frankel emphasized the need for noting any changes that took place in the body, such as unusual lumps or sores. None of these changes, said the speaker, might indicate the presence of cancer; but such changes ought never to be disregarded.

For those who could not afford medical examinations, or for other reasons might want a strictly private interview, Mrs. Frankel made reference to the "Little Red Door," situated at 809 Yonge Street. There enquirers would be welcomed by two graduate nurses and examinations carried out free.

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Aurora Social News

Recently-appointed social correspondent for Aurora and district, Mrs. Roy Fierheller will be glad to receive news items and locals for Aurora News Page. Her telephone number is Aurora 477m.

At the annual Ladies' Night banquet held in the Lions Hall on Wednesday night, Mrs. Kate Aitken, world traveller, broadcaster and journalist, addressed the meeting. She spoke on her recent around the world flight and also did her Tamblin broadcast. A number of members of the board participated in the broadcast.

The Evening Auxiliary of the United church was held in the

church parlors on Tuesday evening. Mr. Whitehead showed a number of pictures of his recent trip to Scotland.

The many friends of Mrs. R. Buchanan will be pleased to hear that she is progressing favorably after her operation in the Western Hospital.

Mrs. H. Summers is visiting in the town this week.

Dr. C. R. Boulding entertained his class of boys on Saturday to the observatory and later at his home on Kennedy St.

The Women's Association of the United church met on Thursday afternoon in the church parlors and enjoyed hearing Mrs. G. W. Fish speak on northern women and their church work. Mrs. W. Adams was guest soloist.

Both the junior and senior choirs of the United church were successful in winning first place in the Brampton Musical Festival.

BRAMPTON LESSONS TOLD TO AURORA

At a well-attended meeting of the Aurora Citizens Association (We Vote No) on Sunday evening the guest speaker was Mrs. R. B. Horwood, the chairman of the Brampton Committee for a no vote.

Mrs. Horwood warned the association meeting in Trinity Hall to "watch their step", for as she said, "You are up against big business, which is well organized to win the election if possible". She spoke of the very large number of out-of-town cars brought in to assist in getting out the Yes vote.

Mrs. Horwood urged that every vote be brought out. "In Brampton," she said, "1,400 people failed to vote. Many were lulled to sleep by over confidence."

But, she said, the most tragic news was that 70 ballots were spoiled—yes, a number sufficient to have won the election had they all been "no" ballots.

Voters were advised to use the pencil at the voting booth; to mark an "X" (not a cross) after the "No", and to keep the "X" well within the space allowed for it.

LITTLE RED DOOR

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Mrs. Frankel paid tribute to what she described as the finest treatment centre in Canada, and possibly in the world, namely, at Saskatoon. It was their hope to emulate this achievement in Ontario.

The speaker thanked Mrs. Crysdale for her introduction and Mrs. Jarvis for making that fine gathering possible at her home.

SCHOMBERG

Miss Joan Cabell has taken a position in the creamery for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Crane (Blanche Watson) have moved into their new home on Western Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Abbott, Miss Catharine Abbott of Weston, and Miss Margaret Abbott, and Dr. and Mrs. Ed Abbott, Orangeville, visited their parents, Rev. and Mrs. F. V. Abbott, who have moved to the new house they have recently built.

Rev. J. J. McKeown and Mrs. J. Scott of Penetang, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Russell on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wood of Kettleby visited Mr. and Mrs. Oriole Sloan on Friday.

Mrs. Charles Hutchins entertained the Anglican W.A. at her home on Thursday evening.

The death of Dr. Amos Frank Kay came as a shock to the community. He had been in failing health and was taken to the East General hospital on the previous Sunday and passed away Thursday morning, May 8.

Son of the late G. Kay, he was born in Virginia and attended Port Perry High school, and graduated from Medical College, University of Toronto, in 1908. Following his graduation he came to Schomberg and started his practice. He was past master of the Masonic Lodge, took an active part in church affairs and was treasurer and elder of the United church for a number of years. He was a member of the Lions club and medical health officer of the western section of King township.

The funeral was held on Saturday at the United church. Rev. Gordon Hunter and Rev. J. J. McKeown, Penetang, took charge of the service. Burial was at the Union cemetery. The pallbearers were: E. MacKay, L. Holmes, T. A. McCutcheon, E. Dale, P. Kitchen and E. Cooper.

He is mourned by his wife, the former Caroline Dougan, one son, Dr. Ronald Kay, Toronto, one sister, Mrs. J. J. Foster, Penetang, one son, Squadron Leader Harry Kay, was killed in the last war.

ANSNORVELD

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fisher celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary on Saturday, May 10. Their friends wish them many more years of happiness.

Mr. S. Fisher will be leaving for Holland this week by plane to be present when his parents celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary.

Rev. P. Zwart of the Netherlands conducted the services at the Christian Reform Church here the last two weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. Zwart arrived here to be present at the wedding of their son, Mr. Pete Zwart, to Miss Anne Fokema, which took place at Springdale last Friday, May 9.

Mr. and Mrs. J. VanderVrede and family of Port Weller, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. Maritz.

Mr. and Mrs. Bierling of The Netherlands are visiting at the home of Mr. P. Bierling.

Mrs. M. DeJong is a patient at the York County hospital where she underwent a serious operation. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Vandorf News

Special Mother's Day services were held at Wesley United church Sunday at 11 a.m. with a splendid attendance. Special music was provided by the senior young people's choir and the junior Sunday school children, with Miss Betty Richardson at the organ and Miss Elsie Crawford at the piano. Miss Gail Aylett accompanied at the piano for the juniors. Mr. Bill Kingdon and Gail Aylett each read interesting Mother's Day stories.

Rev. E. C. Moddle spoke very appropriately on "The Family" and conducted the baptismal service when eight children were baptized: Bruce Gordon Mackey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mackey; William John Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Patterson; Jas. Michael Pogue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pogue; Deborah Lynd Gilbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Gilbert; Bruce George Hugh Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher; Howard Noel Dike, son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Dike; William David and Wesley Joseph Whittaker, sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. Whittaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oliver were guests at the Cowie-Hutchinson wedding in Aurora on Saturday and later to the reception at Ridge Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kingdon and Bill were guests at the Cousins-Aziz wedding in Aurora on Saturday. Miss Lorna Cousins is a niece of Mrs. Kingdon. Miss Ruth Oliver spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oliver had Sunday tea with Mr. and Mrs. James Oliver and Ruth.

The Vandorf Women's Institute chorus supplied special music at the Pine Orchard Women's Institute supper on Friday night. Mr. Harry West was chairman for the 20 question feature which was lots of fun.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morley and Billie, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. White, Bob and Ruth had Sunday tea with Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. J. Loveless of Markham.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Greig, Jimmie and Kenneth of Toronto

BROWN HILL

The Brown Hill Rinky Dinks, with the capable coaching of their principal, Mr. Courmeier, have done very well this year. They are leading the softball league. We of Brown Hill are wishing them continued success.

There's to be a shower for Miss Ruth Abbs, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. York, at the home of Miss Audrey Sedore (on the eighth line).

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crouch visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fountain, Newmarket, last Tuesday.

Mrs. Doris Haining is visiting in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. MacNamara has returned to his summer home again.

Some folks are already bragging that the radishes and potatoes are up.

Mrs. Crittenden, Mrs. C. Corps, Mrs. Allen have all gone to England for a short visit. We wish them a good holiday and speedy return to our village.

Mr. and Mrs. Brosseau and family made a short visit to Toronto last Saturday.

Arthur Tuer will have a 12th birthday on May 13.

Mrs. Roy Crouch now has three boys. The new additions are two fine little brothers, Victor and Clifford Roberts.

Mrs. Sarah Miller has returned to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Miller have purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nelson.

Mrs. Roberts has moved to Mr. Bassenger's house.

We have news of Sunday school here which should interest all Free Methodists. An attendance contest is being held. Try to help our Sunday school in this endeavor. The pastor is Rev. Casement. Last Sunday prizes were given to the eldest mother and the mother having the youngest child present. Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.

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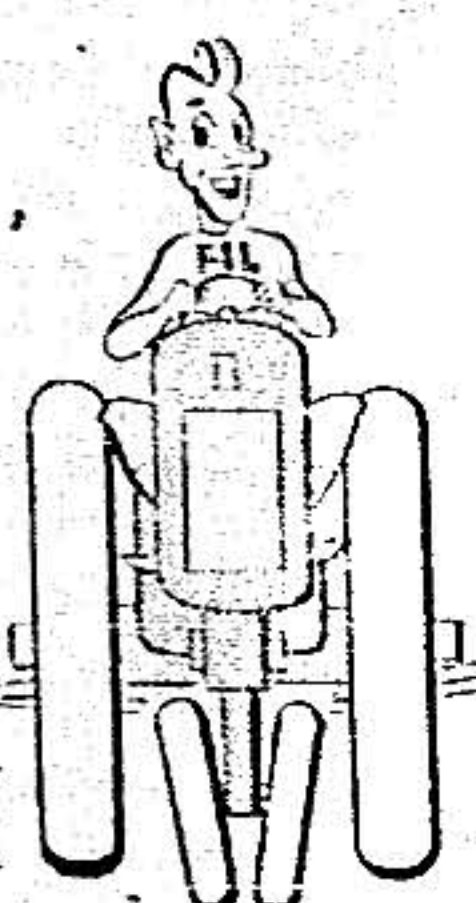
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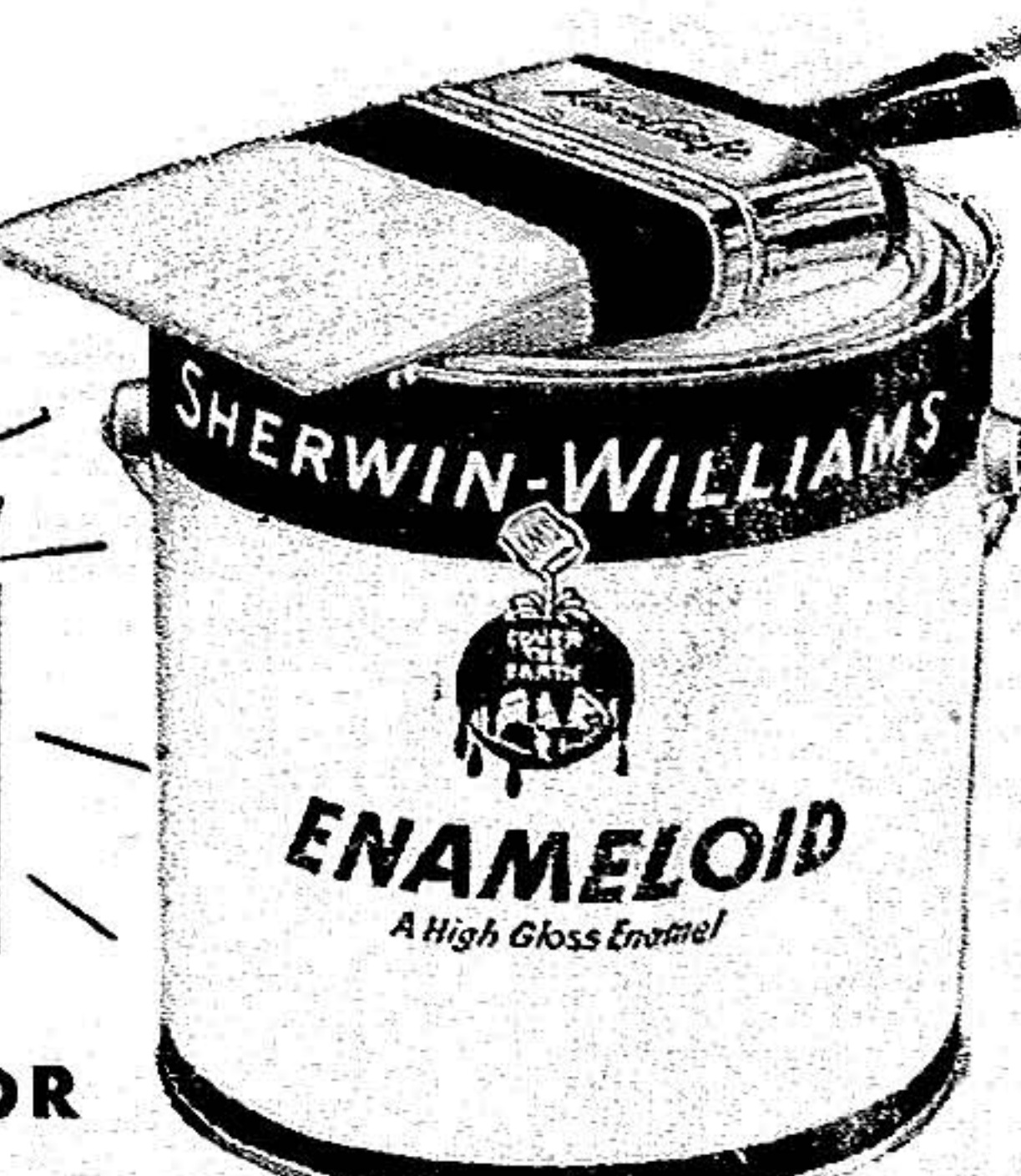


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Are you in favor of the establishment of government stores for the sale of liquor? **Yes** **No X**

Be sure you are given BOTH ballots, and mark EACH as shown above—a plain X (not 'cross') with black lead pencil, opposite "No". Remember, in the Brampton vote there were 70 spoiled ballots.

If you can help or if you need help, please fill out the attached coupon and send it to Mrs. Harold N. Clark. (telephone 346j) or to Mr. Rod Smith (telephone 217). The association depends ONLY on its members and friends for campaign funds.

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Aurora Citizens Association
(WE VOTE NO)

J. B. Bastedo Don Glass H. E. Lubbock Rod Smith
Chairman Vice Chairman Secretary Treasurer

MOUNT PISGAH

The York-Simcoe Council organization meeting of the Home and School Association was held at Langstaff public school on Wednesday, May 7. Those who attended from this community were: Mr. and Mrs. Kirstein, Mr. and Mrs. Ian Reid, Mrs. Bernard Kays, Mrs. J. MacDonald, Mrs. Charles Tricker and Mr. Jim Smith.

Mrs. Ernest Stiles of King is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Ash for a few days.

Mrs. Margaret Acy, Pembroke, arrived at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Norman Brown and family where she will be staying for a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fennels returned to their home near Gravenhurst for the summer months. Mrs. Pope motored up with them on Saturday and spent the weekend there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grant, Stayner, and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Barker and family, Toronto, visited the Harry Smith's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Edwards, Peterborough, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Bearson on Thursday and Friday of last week.



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Want A Wonderful Spring Salad that will add a piquant touch to your meals this lovely May day? Here's one: Jell-O is the reason for its tangy, tempting flavor. That "locked-in" Jell-O flavor is sealed right in each tiny particle until you release it by adding water to the Jell-O. Keep several packages of JELL-O JELLY POWDERS on hand. There are seven grand flavors—for delicious desserts and salads such as this Spring Garden Salad:

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1 cup hot water
1 cup cold water
2 tablespoons vinegar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup sliced radishes
1 tablespoon finely-chopped green onion
Dissolve Jell-O in hot water; add cold water, vinegar and salt. Chill. When slightly thickened, fold in radishes and onions. Chill until firm. In large mould or individual moulds.

Today I Saw My Home "as others see it!" In the bright May sunshine it certainly looked as if a beauty treatment was needed. Well, I won't be caught without sufficient funds during this year's Beautification Campaign. Thanks to Personal Planning, my finances are in good shape, despite all the high prices. This year, I can actually afford to paint up, clean up and plant up the way I've always wanted to. Yes, the BANK OF MONTREAL's Personal Planning system of money management showed me how to save—painlessly—for a rainy day or a brand-new paint job. Why don't you try it? You can really cut down your money and home-owning worries the Personal Planning way. Write to me—Barbara Brent, 1111 Crescent St., Montreal, P.Q.—for your free copy of "Personal Planning for Successful Home-Making."



Pictured here are some of the girls who took part in the dance recital presented by the members of Mrs. Charles Gordon's dancing classes at the Newmarket town hall last week. There are over 90 girls in the classes which are sponsored by the Newmarket recreation commission. Photo by Haskett



News Of The W.I.

News for this column must be in the office Monday night. Copy must be written as briefly as possible and confined to news and reports. Other than routine reports and announcements will be printed separately.

The May meeting of the King-ridge branch was held last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. H. Gillham. All members are asked to bring a small donation for the next meeting.

It was decided that the spring tea would be postponed until the fall. Parts of the handbook were read by Mrs. H. Parker. Study courses are planned for the fall. Picnic plans were made for August.

Members who will be going to King on May 15 please wear their pins. The meetings will start at 9.30 sharp.

Will all members please bring a knick-knack for the next meeting with the price on it. Motto: Keep us, O Lord, from pettiness. Roll call: June flower.

Aurora branch will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, May 29, at 2.30 p.m., in the United Church parlors. Members please note the change of date and place. At a previous meeting the following officers were elected:

Pres., Mrs. R. Jennings; first vice pres., Mrs. H. Anderson; second vice pres., Mrs. J. Klees; sec'y-treas., Mrs. A. Monkman; ass't., Mrs. J. Brooks; pianist, Miss L. Reynolds; ass't., Mrs. Stewart; district director, Mrs. A. Eklund; ass't., Mrs. V. Fines; directors, Mrs. A. Cook, Mrs. J. Brooks, Mrs. L. Evans; Sick and visiting com., Mrs. L. Mitchell, Mrs. R. Wood, Mrs. E. Foster; auditors, Miss Falconbridge, Miss Hamer; agriculture and Canadian industries, Mrs. L. Evans; citizenship and education, Mrs. Pett; community activities and public relations, Mrs. V. Fines; historical research and current events, Miss Boggis; home economics and health, Mrs. J. Brooks.

The monthly meeting of the Bogartown branch will be held at the home of Mrs. Harry West, on Tuesday, May 20, at 2.30. A good program is being provided on historical research and current events. Community singing.

The May meeting of the Vandort branch will be held on May 21 at the home of Mrs. F. van Nostrand. The meeting is in charge of the education committee; the roll call is "Sing, say or pay". The hostesses will be Mrs. G. Mackey, Mrs. William Yake and Mrs. H. Hillary.

The Temperanceville branch met at the home of Mrs. Nelson Thompson on Wednesday, May 7. The roll call, "Something that interests us in our community", brought forth such answers as erosion, the young people, the church, the school, the difficulty in obtaining use of the telephone line, the Sunday school and W. I. work.

A donation of \$10 was sent to the Institute for the Blind. After discussion, a vote was taken as to whether the meetings be held in the home or church. The "home" won by only one vote and those wishing to have a meeting during the year were given the choice of the month in which they wished to have it. The programs will be printed as soon as possible.

A current event read by Mrs. Wilbert Jennings told of a family in which the mother had become blind.

Mrs. Fred Boys led the group in community singing and Mrs. M. E. McClure as soloist sang "The Sunshine of Your Smile". Mrs. Fred Hare accompanied all selections on the piano.

The guest speaker, Mrs. Baycroft, district president of Centre York, was introduced by Mrs. Clayton Beynon. Mrs. Baycroft, who had recently returned from the conference at Guelph, told of a number of amusing incidents which occurred during the three days.

She spoke of the benefit derived from these conferences and how inexpensively the trip can be made. Mrs. Baycroft

followed her informative remarks on W.I. work by an address on "The Home".

A family needs more than a home to live in—it must be made a home, a place of comfort, of love, of thoughtfulness and understanding, of Christian living, a place to find refuge in time of sorrow, and a place to show one's joys. All this can and should be accomplished, regardless of our financial standing. Do your best to make your house a home.

Mrs. Charles Henshaw, Mrs. Joseph Levison, Mrs. C. Beynon and the hostess served a delicious afternoon tea, of sausage rolls, cookies and tea.

Sharon branch held their May meeting in Sharon hall with 23 present. Excellent reports were given by conveners. A donation of \$25 is being given to the Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

Mrs. Ramsey displayed curtain material from which the hospital has asked the Institute to make 10 drapes for maternity wards. Mrs. Croone offered her home for making of same.

After a discussion on how we could improve our hall, it was decided we would buy curtains for the platform. Mrs. Kitley and Mrs. Osler will act as a committee to look after curtain material needed.

It was decided that we give Institute pins to those that have been members for five years instead of waiting for 10 years as was formerly the plan.

Mrs. Ramsay reported that \$129.85 was collected for Red Cross.

A bus trip is being planned to Guelph for Institute members and families sometime in June.

Mrs. Osler gave an interesting talk on the conference she attended in Guelph.

The officers for next year are as follows: hon. pres., Mrs. A. Shaw; pres., Mrs. E. F. Ramsay; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. K. Weddel; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. Joe Hall; sec., Mrs. H. Boyd; treas., Mrs. E. Farr; press, Miss Nora Shaw; Home economics and health, Mrs. J. Greig; Mrs. K. Shaw; citizenship and education, Mrs. H. Walker; Mrs. C. Ward; Canadian industries and agriculture, Mrs. E. Evans; Mrs. L. Weddel; public relations and community activities, Mrs. Osler, Mrs. W. Selby, Mrs. E. Fry, Mrs. S. Osborne; pianist, Mrs. A. Shaw; flower committee, Mrs. E. Evans, Mrs. C. Pinder; auditors, Mrs. W. Osler, Mrs. J. Hall.

The May meeting of the Elmhurst branch was held at the home of Mrs. Huskinson. Mrs. Ida Boynton gave a display of useful articles made from so-called discarded.

Our speaker was Miss Smythe of the Health Unit. She gave us full particulars of the work of this very helpful and necessary department especially in the care of pre-school age. Everyone was enthusiastic and looking forward to a good year's work and enlightenment.

The Belhaven branch met in the hall on Tuesday, May 6, with the president, Mrs. Anderson, in the chair. Thirteen members, seven visitors and 23 children were present. Roll call was answered by paying the fee. At the close of the business session, Mr. E. Symes of Sutton Ceramic factory gave a very interesting demonstration on the making of the different kinds of pottery. He showed the molds, the type of clay that was used and made one piece of pottery. He told how it was glazed and finished.

The pupils from Belhaven school favored the members with several numbers which they sang at Woodbridge musical festival. A lovely lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Dave Davidson, Mrs. Donald Morton and Mrs. Lloyd Kay.

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Patricia Smart, Capreol, 8 years old on Friday, May 9.

Dorothy Taylor, Newmarket, 11 years old on Friday, May 9.

David Roberts Tunney, Newmarket, 6 years old on Friday, May 9.

Susan Ruth Gardiner, Newmarket, 3 years old on Friday, May 9.

Fred Edward Farren, Toronto, 8 years old on Saturday, May 10.

Irene Gwenneth Heacock, Newmarket, 6 years old on Saturday, May 10.

William Arthur Morley, Van-dorf, 5 years old on Saturday, May 10.

Keith Browning, Aurora, 11 years old on Saturday, May 10.

Elizabeth Anne Cambourne, Kettleby, 9 years old on Sunday, May 11.

Robert Noble Wright, Aurora, 9 years old on Sunday, May 11.

Jacqueline Davis, Sharon, 12 years old on Monday, May 12.

Roy Bolton, Aurora, 13 years old on Wednesday, May 14.

Billy Allan, Newmarket, 6 years old on Wednesday, May 14.

David George Palmer, Roche's Point, 15 years old on Wednesday, May 14.

Colleen Cain, Newmarket, 12 years old on Thursday, May 15.

Send in your name, address, age and become a member of the Newmarket Era and Express birthday club.

BLIND CAMPAIGN RAISES \$1,357

"The Newmarket and District Advisory Committee to the Canadian National Institute for the Blind is pleased to report that the annual campaign for funds has been very successful to date," said Mrs. J. E. Morris, chairman.

"In spite of the many appeals this spring, the people in Newmarket and the surrounding district were generous and sympathetic towards our campaign. There are still some of our regular contributors who have not as yet responded to this appeal. We would greatly appreciate it if they would do so, in order that we may close our books."

Throughout this district during the past two weeks Mrs. C. S. Gilbert, Mrs. J. W. Coates and Mrs. George Somerville assisted with the special canvass. On Saturday, May 3, Mrs. Elman Campbell and Mrs. Anton Czer-nick, assisted by Miss Audrey Rowland, Mrs. Leslie Barber, Mrs. Laurina Stykes and Mrs. James Thornton, conducted the regular tag day.

"The reports have been very encouraging," said Mrs. Morris, "and we want to thank those who helped with this very worthy cause by contributing, to the boys and girls who tagged on Saturday and those who gave of their time also. Our funds to date are \$1,357.37. Included in this is the Newmarket tag day receipts of \$275.87, the largest tag results in many years. We are very grateful to those who were instrumental in helping the blind to learn to earn."

PLAN CHURCH SERVICE
Sunday, May 18, which marks the start of Business Women's week will be celebrated by the Newmarket B. and P. club with a group attendance at Trinity United church for the morning service. A section will be reserved for the local B. and P. members.

GIVE \$10
The Newmarket Business and Professional Women's club donated \$10 to the Crippled Children's appeal for funds.

The Newmarket branch will hold its regular monthly meeting in the clubrooms on Thursday, May 22, at 2.30 p.m. Roll call is "What I would like to see demonstrated at this year's meetings". A round table discussion on the Guelph Conference will be held. A full attendance is requested.

LOBLAWS

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BELMAR SOUP MIX CHICKEN NOODLE 2 PKGS. 25¢
JUNKET RENNEN POWDERS ASSORTED FLAVOURS 8-OZ. PKG. 13¢
WARES REAL LEMON PIE FILLING SWEETENED 2 8-OZ. PKGS. 33¢
DAVIS GELATINE 2-OZ. PKG. 21¢
KKOVAN SALTS 4-OZ. TIN 35¢
E. D. SMITH GRAPE JUICE 16-FL. OZ. BTL. 19¢
MONARCH FLOUR 7-LB. BAG 49¢
RED MARASCHINO CHERRIES 6-FL. OZ. BTL. 25¢
KRAFT SALAD DRESSING MIRACLE WHIP 16-FL. OZ. JAR 51¢
KRAFT MAYONNAISE 16-FL. OZ. JAR 59¢
KRAFT SWANKYSWIGS 29¢
St. Williams Marmalade TWO FRUIT 24-FL. OZ. JAR 29¢
LIBBY'S CHOICE DICED BEETS 2 15-FL. OZ. TINS 25¢
FAIRHAVEN SARDINES IN OIL 3 TINS 23¢
STOKELY'S Fancy Applesauce 2 15-FL. OZ. TINS 25¢
BRIGHTS CHOICE PEACHES HALVES 15-FL. OZ. BTL. 18¢
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King City And District

MRS. LAURA ROLLING, CORRESPONDENT, PHONE KING 8

Green's general store will re-open this weekend. Not a minute was lost after the fire which destroyed the downstairs living room, kitchen and upper storage room and contents last week. Willing workers cleaned up the debris. A band of helpers will have the interior freshly painted and set in order for a fire sale. The contents of both sections of the store were salvaged and it has been found that damage and loss is comparatively small considering the extent of the blaze.

But for the swift action of the village fire brigade, before the arrival of Aurora and Maple fire brigades, the loss would have been much heavier. Ivel Wood used Robb's garden hose to quell the blaze that broke out in the roof of the nearby Robb house. Scores of men, women and young people rallied to remove everything from the store, and all the furnishings and household effects from the upstairs living quarters.

"It was a magnificent public spirit and everyone seemed to keep his head on his shoulders," declared the Greens. King City Motors and Drinkwater Motors rushed to the scene with fire extinguishers. People worked with no thought of themselves.

Mr. Green intends to rebuild the fire-gutted rooms at the back of the store. Considerable damage was done to the roof of the main building. Mrs. Green was in Toronto at the time and did not see the results of the damage until late in the afternoon. She was not aware of the fire which broke out about 2.15 until George Harvey informed her at the bus terminal and brought her to King in his car. There was no lack of water for the fire departments once the booster pump was attached to the hydrants.

Wrestle at Aurora Carnival

The young boys of King City Wrestling Club will give a demonstration of their training under Coach Bob McLeod at Aurora Lions sports, fireworks display and carnival on Friday evening, May 23, in the town park. The amateur wrestlers will put on four or five bouts. This part of the show will require 30 minutes and Coach McLeod hopes many from King district will be there to cheer the local boys. Those taking part are Donald Gordon, Rodney Bell, John Rishborough, Ron Fox, Garry Galloway, Richard Chaplin and Glenn Judd.

Buy Cookies on May 17

King and Temperanceville Brownie Pack will sell cookies and deliver those ordered on official Cookie Day, Saturday, May 17. This is the only time the Guides and Brownie raise funds. The cookies are made in Guide trefoil design and are packaged 30 to a box. When a little girl in a brown uniform and hat appears, all smiles, at your door next Saturday, buy her cookies. It is the first time the newly organized pack has had Cookie Day.

While Mr. and Mrs. James Rock were on a recent visit to their daughter at Brampton, Mrs. Rock had an appendix operation at Peel Memorial Hospital. Mr. Rock was just recovering from a heart condition which followed their trip to Vancouver last summer. He was in bed for a long time on two occasions. Mrs. Rock was unable to attend the bazaar display and afternoon tea given by the W.A. of the United church last week of which she is an officer. She and her husband arrived home on Monday.

Successful at York Festival

Three Kettleby pupils of Miss Dorothy Armstrong who competed in the York Music Festival

val at Woodbridge last week brought credit to themselves and their teacher, Doris Wood, 9, placed fifth in a class of 26 for children 11 years and under in piano with 77 marks. In the piano class for 10 years and under, she came third in a class of 15, with 80 marks. In this same class Frances Schmidt, aged 10, and Janice Hodgson, 10, each won 75 marks.

Donald Rawlings, a student at Wycliffe College, Toronto, spent last week at home preparing for final examinations. He completes his first term this month. Ian Scott is completing examinations at Victoria College, pass arts course, this month.

Miss Esther Belton of Toronto was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Scott, Ian's parents, during the weekend. With his sister Mary, they called to see their brother David, 16, who has been staying at his grandmother's, Mrs. Jas. Hunter, at Lasky, recovering from a bad attack of tonsillitis. Ian will go to Picton O.T.C. camp this summer.

Mother's Day Christenings

The christening of children on Mother's Day is an impressive service and six were baptised by Rev. Martin Jenkinson last Sunday. Wearing a beautiful gown sent from England, John Frederick Bruce O'Brien, seven weeks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan O'Brien (Mary Smith), received baptismal rites at Lasky United Church at the afternoon service. The baby wore a sheer white embroidered robe in which his mother had been christened 21 years ago when she was six weeks old. It had been sent from Darlington, England, by Mrs. Jane Smith, grandmother of Mrs. O'Brien. A large congregation witnessed the service, including the child's paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Brien, and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Kathleen Smith. Also an aunt, Mrs. Gwen Smith Southwood, Aurora, and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Weldrick and Miss Betty O'Brien of Maple.

The bouquet of red tulips that adorned the church came from the garden of the Hunter family at Lasky and others were contributed by Mrs. Pearson Smeltzer for the congregation.

At Teston church in the morning, Mr. Jenkinson christened Helen Linda Robson, four months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Robson. The grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Davidson, Earl and Stewart, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Robson and several of their family were present. The ceremony also formed part of the regular church service and the choir sang, "When Mother Prayed". A basket of beautiful flowers given to the grandmother by her son Earl Robson and his wife Joan, was one of the floral decorations for the service.

During the afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Camden, King City, their son David Robin, 7, and Judith Anne Wells, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wells, who is Mrs. Camden's sister, were christened by Rev. Jenkinson, after which he and Mrs. Jenkinson, and David and Judith's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Orvis of Cresswell, all formed the supper party. Lasky United Anniversary

On Sunday, May 25, Lasky United church anniversary will be held morning and evening with the minister, Rev. Jenkinson, in the pulpit. Kettleby choir is being invited for the morning service.

Organization for Eversley Sunday school on Sunday mornings is under way. There are a number of children who can attend and teachers and classes will be

arranged very soon.

A Mother's Day colored film was shown at King and second King Baptist churches last Sunday when the special services were based on that thought. Rev. Mr. Smalley, the minister, was in the pulpit.

King United church service will commence on June 1 at 10 a.m., and Sunday school at 11 a.m.

K.C.A. Meet With Architect

Mr. E. Barnett, an architect, spoke on the proposed community hall at a meeting of King Community Association at the home of Mrs. A. E. Jarvis on Monday, May 12. He made some suggestion on the type of building. The association's chairman, Mrs. Ivan Specht, and the secretary, D. M. Findlay, were absent due to illness.

Representatives of the Legion branch and the Legion Ladies' Auxiliary, Joe McGrath and Mrs. Art Fleet, were also absent. It was agreed on a motion by W. E. Barker and seconded by R. H. McLeod, that "Mrs. Jarvis and M. H. Bell, the treasurer, tell the absent members the findings of the meeting and have Mr. Barnett visit the site of the proposed community hall".

Mrs. Geoffrey Beatty came to the meeting representing Kingcrafts organization.

Church Vacation School

On Thursday, May 22, a meeting to organize for the Church Vacation School, will be held in King Baptist church at 8 p.m. As this is a district project, all who are interested in carrying on the school again this coming July are asked to attend.

Building Program Extending

From the number of new houses under way this year, and building lots for sale, the population of the village and surrounding district is likely to increase sharply. In the Kingsview subdivision, developed by John Dew, he is building north of his present home. Wilfred Hare is getting along with his home. Mr. Bissett of Weston will build a granite front house and his friend, Mr. Ailles of Weston, intends to build. Others who have purchased lots in the subdivision are Mr. Davidson, Mr. Travis and Mr. Cockshutt of Toronto.

Farther east on King sidewalk, Frank McCarthy excavated a basement but ran into quicksand and will have to dig his cellar farther north when machinery is available. He intends moving the old pioneer dwelling he now occupies to the new site. Originally the N. P. Crossley home on the farmhand, it has been found suitable for rebuilding.

When the survey is completed, Mr. Dew will install waterworks. He says there will be 25 acres in the main portion of the area and 15 acres to the rear which will likely be sold in acreages.

Mr. Dew has chosen family Christian names for the new streets. East and west will be Charles and Melrose. North and south the roads will be named James, after his young son who passed away, and John street, after his other son.

There is building south of the village on the fourth concession where Mr. Arthur Peck has sold an acre and a half to Mr. Mel. Weldrick of Maple, who will build a home, and Dale Agar of Richmond Hill has land from the Cadden property for garage and house. In the village proper, Mr. Morrison intends selling lots on the west side of Keele Street.

Mission Bazaar Display and Tea

The articles of clothing and quilts for a mission bazaar were on display at the King City United church last week when the Women's Missionary Society decided to have its membership and visiting societies share in the dedication of gifts that go to Albinia, B.C. and Smokey Lake, Alberta. It was the first bazaar display in the long history of the society which has sent out quantities of supplies year after year.

The bazaar was convened by Mrs. W. Carson and Miss Lena Cairns, veteran members of the W.M.S. There was a stock of good clothing for every age and a layette. A map showed where the supplies are forwarded. There were picture displays of work in the mission field.

"I must keep my cupboard well stocked for I never know when a call will come to outfit a child or a needy adult," said Mrs. L. D. Collette, Toronto Centre Presbyterian supply secretary. With her were others of

the Presbyterian executive, Mrs. P. J. Lambert of Maple, vice-president; Mrs. J. E. Carson, Missionary Monthly and World Friend secretary; Mr. W. J. Card, second vice-president, and Mrs. A. C. 'Huston, Victoria Square, the guest speaker.

Mrs. M. R. Jenkinson presided and Mrs. I. L. Scott took the devotional. The dedication service was performed by the president, who said, "Distance and language are no barrier when prayer and gifts are borne aloft on wings of loving service."

Mrs. Gordon Orr sang and Mrs. Jack Clift played a violin solo. The accompanist for both was Mrs. Ewart Patton.

The speaker, Mrs. Huston, wife of Rev. A. C. Huston, Victoria Square, spoke on the experiences she and her husband had in the mission field at Nelson House, a far northern station of Manitoba in an Indian reservation where they labored five years out of the 17 they spent on Canadian mission fields.

The speaker described their work at Nelson House. "We cannot all serve on the mission field, but we can pray and continue to send out the much needed mission bales," she told her co-workers. The Hustons have 11-year-old Betty, an Indian girl, in their Victoria Square manse, whom they are raising.

At the conclusion of the talk, refreshments were served. The collection amounted to \$18.15.

Heise-Laurett

Miss Mary Laurett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Laurett, and Kenneth Heise, Teston, were married on May 10 at the United church manse, King City, by Rev. Jenkinson. Their attendants were Frances McDonald and Peter Laurett, the bride's brother. A reception was held in Toronto after the ceremony.

Eversley Presbyterian W.M.S. has been set forward to May 28 because of the annual sectional meeting at Knox Vaughan church on May 21 when district societies will take part. Miss Ruby Walker, regional secretary, will address the morning session and Miss Laura Pelton, overseas mission secretary, will be the afternoon speaker.

All Anglican churches of the Toronto diocese are having a part in the centenary of the synod of the diocese and Rev. D. C. H. Mitchell and Mr. Jas. Keens expect to attend the banquet at the Royal York hotel on May 27. On June 1, All Saints' choir will participate in the general service at Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, when massed choirs, directed by Dr. Healey Willan, will be heard.

Among those of this district who attended the Cancer Tea last Friday at the home of Mrs. Amelia Jarvis, Yonge St., were Mrs. W. D. P. Jarvis, Mrs. A. E. Jarvis, Mrs. N. J. Coe, Mrs. G. M. Duncan, Mrs. W. F. Poag, Mrs. J. L. Grew, Mrs. E. B. Johnston, Mrs. Geo. Scott, Mrs. Cecil Summerfeldt (acting treasurer), Mrs. H. G. Ratcliffe, Mrs. A. E. Kelley, Miss Kay Clark, Mrs. Laura Rolling.

Mrs. Robt. Kemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green, and Mr. Kep, with Mr. and Mrs. W. Veres, Niagara Falls, came to help the Greens during the weekend, and on Monday morning a carload of Mrs. Green's family motored from Belleville to assist. They were Mrs. Gay, a sister-in-law, Mrs. McDonald, a sister, Mrs. McDonald, a niece of Mrs. Green, and her husband and little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Boys of Whitby were Sunday visitors of their mother, Mrs. Wm. Boys of Lasky.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCarthy on Sunday were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Filfit, an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cave, all of Toronto. With their guests the McCarthy's served Sunday evening dinner.

Mrs. Alfred Gillham, 93, was visited by her family on Sunday, receiving flowers and presents, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jack Gould. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillham, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gillham and Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Wickett found their mother in good spirits and fairly well.

Among the gifts received by Mrs. Edwin Robson from her family on Mother's Day were a gold wrist watch, a large basket of snapdragons and stocks, a basket of white snaps and red roses, and boxes of candy. The first basket was taken to Teston church on Sunday where her grandchildren, Helen Linda Robson, was christened. Visiting at the Robson home on Sunday were Mr. John Earl, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Robson and Mrs. Taylor, Toronto.

Mrs. T. L. Williams, president of Eversley W.M.S. and sectional vice-president, attended the annual meeting of section 1, West Toronto Presbyterian, at Oakville on May 7. She was accompanied by Mrs. John Phillips and gave greetings from her district. She will attend the annual convention of section 2 at Boston, near Milton, on May 14. On May 21, Mrs. Williams presides at the annual meeting of her section, at Knox church, Vaughan.

Mrs. Leonard Shropshire has been quite ill from an attack of quinsy and Mrs. Ivan Specht was suddenly taken down with "red" measles on Friday last. They are improving.

Mrs. A. J. Gordon was treated to a birthday party at the home of her neighbor, Mrs. Bert Kelley, when two tables of bridge were enjoyed by old friends, who took part in providing refreshments. Mrs. Gordon was presented with a

lovely corsage made by Mrs. Kelley, from her garden flowers. Besides the hostess, others present were Mrs. C. Archibald, Mrs. Ross Walker, Mrs. E. F. McDonald, Miss Winnie Boys, Mrs. Alfred Gillham, Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. T. L. Williams.

Little Linda Canney, Toronto, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burt, over the weekend, returning to Toronto on Wednesday when Terry Burt, their son, had a birthday. For this occasion his mother made a tooled leather wallet.

Miss Ruth Williams has been given a month's leave of absence from her position with the King City Bank of Commerce to be with her mother, Mrs. Dick Williams at Laurel, who has poor health at present. Miss Alma Cadden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cadden, 3rd line, is learning the work at the King City branch.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Scott, who were among those to attend the ordination-induction service at Strange church last Friday evening, were the first couple married in that church 24 years ago, 68 years after St. Andrew's had been erected. Mrs. Scott, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Lawson, received a copy of the Holy Bible given to the first bride.

The condition of Mr. Floyd Berger was still very grave during the weekend, following an emergency operation for ruptured appendix. He is the husband of Eleanor Wellesley, a daughter of Mrs. Arthur Wellesley of King, and resides in Barrie, where he is hospitalized. Mrs. Wellesley spent a few days in Barrie last week with her daughter who has five children.

Mrs. Wm. Williams, Lasky, received gifts of flowers, money, a gold brooch and other gifts from members of her family on Sunday. Visiting her were her daughter, Mrs. Stokes Chamberlain and husband of Nobleton, and Mrs. Carl Williams and husband of Huber Summit, Mrs. Mary McDonald and daughter Audrey of Toronto and her son, Harry Williams, and his wife of Scarborough. Earlier, her son George of Sundridge and Mrs. Williams paid a few days' visit.

Mother's Day Reunions
 Mrs. G. H. Stone was honored on Mother's Day when some of her family joined her with felicitations and gifts. Her daughter, Mrs. Tom Proctor, and husband, Schomberg, came with tulips and other gifts. From Aurora, were her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lorna Stone, and daughter Marjorie Stone, bringing a decorated Mother's Day box of candy. A grandson of Mrs. Stone, Sr., Jack Stone, and his wife Irma of Aurora presented her with a decorated cake. Their daughter Jacqueline also came to greet her great grandmother. A few days earlier Mrs. Stone had a visit from her nephew, Jack Stone of Toronto, and his wife. With her daughter, Mrs. Proctor, Mrs. Stone paid a few days' visit to her daughter, Mr. H. H. Whitney, who lives at Atherley.



THE COW AT THE COUNCIL TABLE

The Reeve and Council were startled, but Jim explained. "Lactic acid from spilled milk is playing heck with my barn floor. I've brought Bessie along to bear me out."

"Moo-oo-oo!" said Bessie, meaning "You're darn right."

"Battery acid is doing the same to my floor," said Bob Harris, the garage owner.

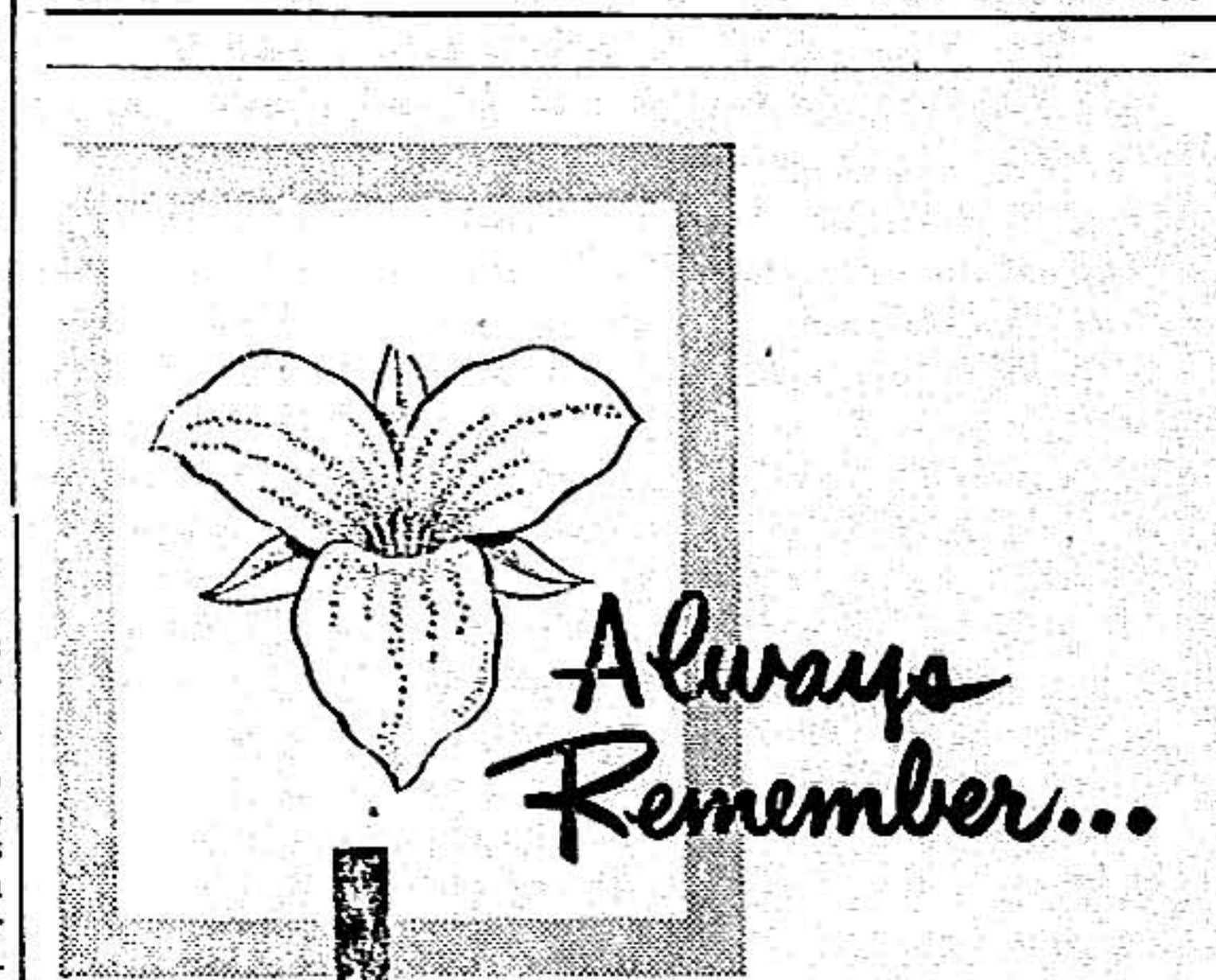
It turned out that Tom Black, the photographer, Bill Short of the cooperative packing plant,

Harry Smith, the laundry proprietor, Elmer Park of the sheet metal works, were all having acid trouble, too.

"Guess we were smart to put in Vitriified Clay Pipe for our town sewerage system," said the Reeve.

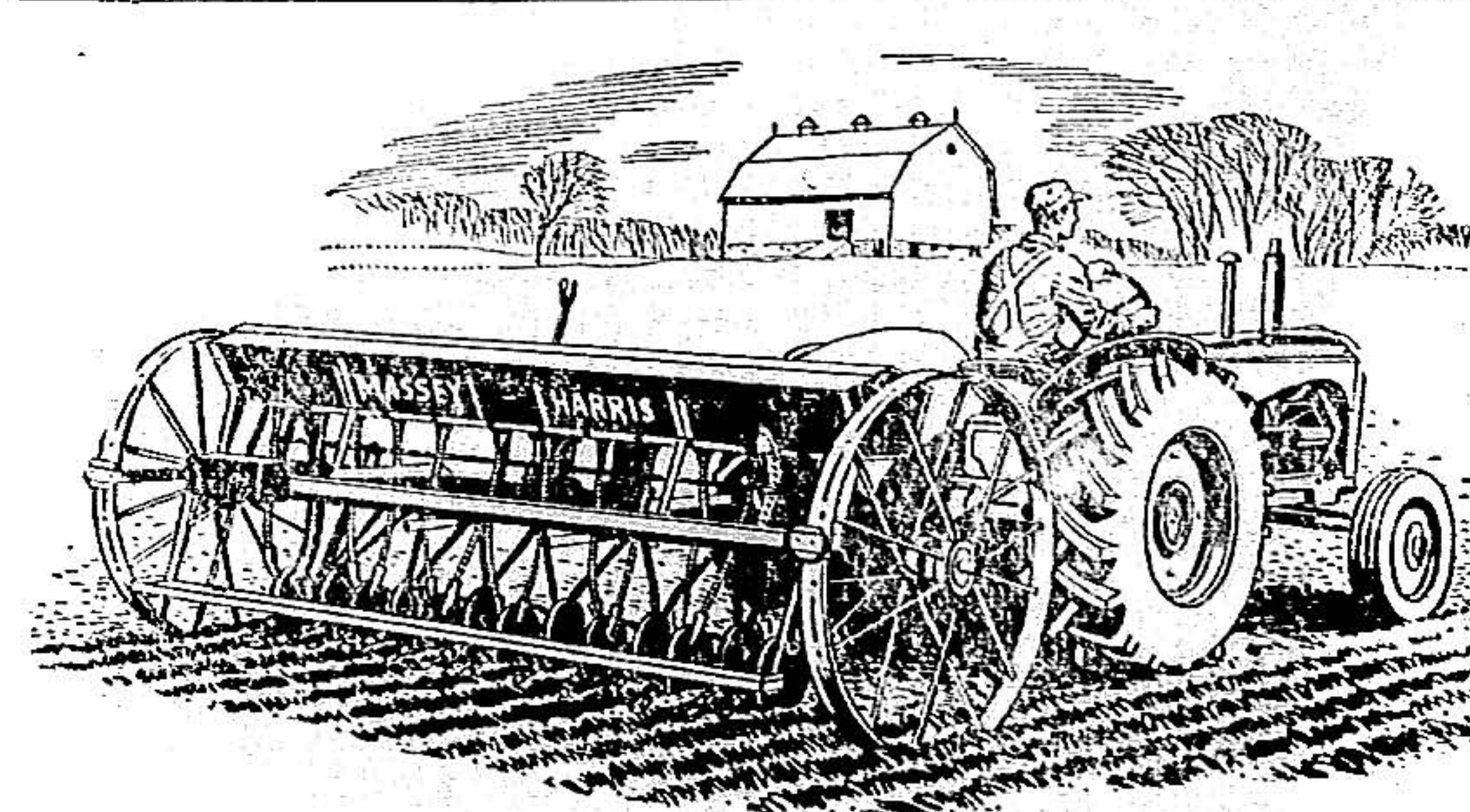
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